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ACT OF INCORPORATION

Resolution Incorporating the General Convention of the Baptist Churches in the State of Connecticut and Vicinity—Passed May, 1824.

Resolved by this Assembly:—That Asa Wilcox, Jonathan Goodwin, Augustus Bolles, Joseph B. Gilbert, Robert Francis, Elisha Cushman, Roswell Burrows, Oliver Wilson, John Turney, Jeremiah Brown, Claudius L. Collins, Rufus Babcock, Wm. H. Manning, and Wm. Quiner and their associates, be, and they are hereby made and constituted a body politic and corporate, by the name of the General Convention of the Baptist Churches of Connecticut and Vicinity, and by that name they and their successors shall and may have perpetual succession; shall be capable of suing and being sued, plead and being impleaded, in all suits of what nature soever, may have a common seal, and the same alter or change at pleasure; and may also have, purchase, receive, hold, and convey away estate, real, personal, or mixed, the annual income of which shall not exceed three thousand dollars. Provided that said income, whatever may be the amount thereof, be annually expended and appropriated to the purposes designated in said petition.

Said Convention may from time to time, elect a president and such other officers and agents as they may find necessary or convenient; may make By-Laws respecting the number, qualification, and duties of their officers and members, prescribe the mode of election, and admission of members, the time, place, and manner of holding their meetings; the number necessary to form a quorum, and all other By-Laws and regulations the said Convention may deem necessary for the government and due regulation of its concerns, to promote and secure the essential objects of said Convention as expressed in their Constitution, not repugnant to the laws of this State or the United States.

The first meeting of said Convention shall be holden at the Baptist Meeting House in the city of Middletown, in the county of Middlesex, on the second Wednesday of June, A. D. 1824, at nine o'clock in the forenoon.

This act of incorporation, or any part thereof, may be altered, amended or appealed, at the pleasure of the General Assembly.

Resolved by this Assembly:—That said corporation be hereafter called and known by the name of "The Connecticut Baptist Convention."

STATE CONVENTION

Resolved in Alteration, Passed June 15, 1899

Resolved by this Assembly:—That the corporation known by the name of The Connecticut Baptist Convention, duly incorporated by the General Assembly of this state, May session, 1824, may hereafter have, purchase, receive, hold, and convey estate, real, personal, or mixed, the annual income of which shall not exceed twenty-five thousand dollars.

Resolved in Alteration, Passed April 2, 1909

Resolved by this Assembly:—That the resolution incorporating The Connecticut Baptist Convention be and it hereby is amended by adding at the end thereof the following: "Said Convention may accept and hold absolutely or as trustee, such funds as may be given, devised, or bequeathed to it, to be held by it in such manner or way as may be directed by the instrument making such gift, devise, or bequest, when such funds, or the income therefrom, or reversion thereof shall be for the benefit of said Convention or individuals or churches affiliated therewith."

CONSTITUTION OF CONVENTION

ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of this body shall be THE CONNECTICUT BAPTIST CONVENTION.

ARTICLE II. OBJECT

The object of this Convention shall be to promote the preaching of the Gospel and the organization and maintenance of Baptist churches and church schools in the State of Connecticut; and to act as the agent of the Baptist churches and people of Connecticut in advancing the kingdom of God throughout the world, and particularly in promoting the missionary, educational, and philanthropic interests of the Northern Baptist Convention.

ARTICLE III. MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. This Convention shall consist of delegates from the Baptist Churches of Connecticut of the same faith and order as the present associated Baptist Churches, each such church which has contributed to the funds of the Convention during the year last preceding the annual meeting of the Convention being entitled to representation by its pastor and one delegate for each hundred and each fraction of a hundred resident members and for each church school connected with it; provided, however, that no church shall be permitted to send more than five delegates besides its pastor.

Sec. 2. All members of the general denominational boards and officers of the Northern Baptist Convention living within the state; officers of this Convention and members of its Board of Managers; officers of the Woman's Baptist Mission Society of Connecticut, officers of the Connecticut Baptist Education Society, officers of the Connecticut Baptist Men's Council and officers of the Connecticut Baptist Board of Promotion shall be exofficio delegates to the meetings of this Convention, and entitled to all the privileges usually accorded to such delegates.

ARTICLE IV. OFFICERS

Section 1. The officers of the Convention shall be a President, a First Vice-President, a Second Vice-President, a Treasurer, who may be either a person or a fiduciary institution, and a Recording Secretary, who shall be the General Secretary of the Board of Managers.

Sec. 2. The officers, excepting the Treasurer and the Recording Secretary shall be elected by ballot at the annual meeting, and shall serve from the close of the annual meeting at which they are elected until the close of the next annual meeting, or until their successors have been elected. The Treasurer and Secretary shall be elected by the Board of Managers.

Sec. 3. In event of a vacancy from any cause in the office of President, the First Vice-President shall serve as President. If the office of First Vice-President also is vacant, the Second Vice-President shall perform the duties of President. Should vacancies occur in all these offices simultaneously, the Board of Managers shall elect a President to serve until the next regular election of officers. Removal of an officer from the state shall automatically create a vacancy.

Sec. 4. The duties of the officers shall be such as by common practice pertain to their respective offices.

ARTICLE V. BOARD OF MANAGERS

Section 1. There shall be a Board of Managers consisting of the President, the First Vice-President, and the Second Vice-President of the Convention and forty-five (45) elective members chosen by ballot at the annual meeting of the Convention for the term of three years, and so constituted that the terms of fifteen of its elective members shall expire each year. The Treasurer, when a person, shall be ex-officio a member of the Board.

Sec. 2. The adoption of this Constitution shall elect to the Board of Managers for a term of one year those trustees who have one year to serve under the former Constitution and for a term of two years those trustees who have two years to serve under the former Constitution; and in addition to these the Convention at the annual meeting at which this Constitution is adopted shall elect fifteen members for a term of three years. When the Board has been thus constituted, fifteen members, not including such as may be chosen to fill vacancies occurring from other causes than the expiration of terms, shall be elected at each annual meeting for the term of three years.

Sec. 3. Membership on the Board of Managers shall be divided as nearly equally as practicable between pastors, laymen, and women. The President, and the Vice-President of the Woman's Baptist Mission Society of Connecticut shall be ex-officio members.

Sec. 4. The Board of Managers shall be vested with all the privileges and authority of the Convention when it is not in session.

Sec. 5. The duties of the Board of Managers shall be defined by by-laws adopted by the Convention.

ARTICLE VI. AMENDMENTS

This Constitution may be altered or amended by a two-thirds vote of all the delegates present at any annual meeting, after one year's previous notice.

BY-LAWS OF THE CONVENTION

ARTICLE I. MEETINGS OF THE CONVENTION

Section 1. The annual session of the Convention shall begin on the third Thursday in October, at 10:00 A. M.

Sec. 2. Special meetings may be called by the President, at the direction of the Board of Managers.

Sec. 3. Fifty (50) delegates shall constitute a quorum, but any number shall have power to adjourn a meeting.

Sec. 4. The annual session shall be under the control of the Program Committee, which shall have power to make arrangements for speakers, except the preacher of the annual sermon, and to apportion the time to speakers as the different departments of the work may require, subject to the approval of the Convention.

Sec. 5. The proceedings of all meetings shall be regulated by the accepted rules governing deliberative assemblies.

Sec. 6. The fiscal year of the Convention shall be from May 1 to April 30.

ARTICLE II. COMMITTEES OF THE CONVENTION AND THEIR DUTIES

Section 1. The following Standing Committees shall be appointed each year to report at the next annual session:

A. Committee on Place and Preacher for the next session, consisting of five members.

B. Program Committee for the next session consisting of seven or more members, including the Presidents of the Convention, the Woman's Baptist Mission Society of Connecticut, the Connecticut Baptist Men's Council and the Connecticut Baptist Youth Fellowship, the Executive Secretary of the Convention and the pastor of the entertaining church.

*—C. Committee on the Nomination of Convention Officers and Members of the Board of Managers, consisting of one member from each association, elected by the Board of Managers.

D. Committee on Enrollment for the next session, consisting of three members.

E. Obituary Committee, consisting of six members, one from each Association.

F. Committee on Resolutions, consisting of six, or more, members, representing all the Associations.

Section 2. All committees, unless otherwise ordered, shall be appointed by the President, who shall be a member ex officio, of all committees.

*—This item was not adopted but was referred for action at annual session, 1942.

ARTICLE III. STATE PERMANENT COUNCIL

Section 1. There shall be a State Permanent Council, consisting of nine (9) members appointed by the President of the Convention for three (3) years and so far as practicable representing all the Associations, and so constituted that the terms

of its members shall expire yearly. Three (3) members of the Council shall be laymen, and the Executive Secretary of the Convention shall be an ex officio member. The chairman of the Council shall be named annually by the President of the Convention.

ARTICLE IV. DELEGATES TO THE CONNECTICUT COUNCIL OF CHURCHES AND RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

The President shall each year appoint the number of delegates required to represent the Convention in the Connecticut Council of Churches and Religious Education, and these delegates shall constitute tthe Committee of the Convention on matters relating to co-operation with that organization.

BY-LAWS OF THE BOARD OF MANAGERS

ARTICLE I. MEETINGS OF THE BOARD OF MANAGERS

Section 1. The Board of Managers shall hold three meetings during the year, as follows: One within a month after the adjournment of the annual session of the Convention ;one on a date in April or May, determined by itself; and one on the day preceding the next annual session of the Convention.

Sec. 2. Special meetings may be called by the President at any time, and shall be called by him upon a request in writing by five members of the Board.

Sec. 3. Absence of a member from two successive meetings of the Board, unless appropriate excuse is offered to the President, shall be considered as creating a vacancy Removal of a member from the State shall automatically create a vacancy. The Board shall have power to fill vacancies occurring in its membership between annual sessions of the Convention.

Sec. 4. The President shall preside at the meetings of the Board. In his absence, the First Vice-President shall preside. In the absence of the President and the First Vice-President, the Second Vice-President shall preside. In the absence of the three, the Recording Secretary shall call the meeting to order and the Board shall choose a President, pro tempore. Fifteen (15) members shall constitute a quorum.

Sec. 5. The Board shall keep an accurate and complete record of all its proceedings.

ARTICLE II. DUTIES OF THE BOARD OF MANAGERS

Section 1. The Board of Managers shall transact all business of the Convention between sessions and have supervision of all the work of the Convention. It shall appoint an Executive Secretary, a Director of Christian Education, a Treasurer, who may be either a person or a bank of approved standing, auditors to examine and certify the accounts of all financial officers, and such other agents as may be needed properly to conduct the work of the Convention, fixing the salaries of the same and requiring bond of all handling money. It shall make all appropriations for the aid of churches and payment of the salaries of missionaries and other workers, in accordance with the rules laid down in these By-Laws.

Section 2. Authority in all financial and business mattters shall rest with the Board, including the investment of funds, the raising and spending of money for the work of the Convention, and the preparation of an annual budget providing for the work of all departments.

Section 3. The Board shall act as agent of the Council on Finance and Promotion of The Northern Baptist Convention for raising and remitting money in this State for the Unified Budget of the Northern Baptist Convention, on terms to be mutually arranged.

Section 4. The Board shall co-operate, on such terms as shall be mutually acceptable with other denominational boards desiring to undertake work in this State, including the American Baptist Home Mission Society and the American Baptist Publication Society.

Section 5. At its first meeting after the annual session of the Convention, the Board shall appoint from its membership the following Standing Committees:

(1) Finance Committee, consisting of six members and the President.

(2) Committee on Christian Education, consisting of not fewer than seven members.

(3) Publicity Committee, consisting of not fewer than five members.

(4) Committee on Work with New Americans, consisting of five or more members.

(5) Committee on Evangelism, consisting, *so far as practicable, of one member from each Association.*

(6) Committee on Social Action, consisting of five or more members.

(7) Committee on Promotion, consisting of nine, or more, members. In addition, the Woman's Baptist Mission Society of Connecticut and the national societies of The Northern Baptist Convention each shall have the right to appoint one member, who shall be ex officio, a member of the Board of Managers.

(8) Executive Committee, consisting of *not fewer than seventeen (17) members,* including the *President,* who shall be Chairman, the *First* and *Second Vice-Presidents,* the *Chairmen of the Standing Committees of the Board and, ex officio, the President of the Woman's Baptist Mission Society of Connecticut.*

Section 6. A full report of its transactions shall be made by the Board annually to the Convention.

ARTICLE III. DUTIES OF THE COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD OF MANAGERS

Section 1. Finance Committee

(1) The Finance Committee shall direct the Treasurer in the handling of all monies of the Convention and the investing of trust funds, subject to the approval of the Board of Managers. The Chairman shall countersign all orders on the Treasurer drawn by the Recording Secretary of the Board of Managers, upon authorization by the Board or its Executive Committee.

(2) The Committee shall not permit any of the funds of the Convention to be loaned to any officer, legal adviser, member of the Board of Managers, or any corporation or business enterprise in which any of them is personally interested; not permit the use or handling of the permanent funds belonging to the Convention in any way except as authorized by the Board of Managers.

(3) The Committee shall see that all financial agents of the Convention make their reports covering the same period.

(4) The Committee shall report its transactions fully to the Board of Managers and make such reports as may be requested to the Convention, in conjunction with the Treasurer's statements.

Section 2. Committee on Christian Education

(1) The Committee on Christian Education shall promote the work of Christian education in its different phases, including church school and young people's activities, teacher-training, church vacation schools, and all other lines of instruction and study included in a comprehensive and balanced program of Christian education for the local church.

(2) The committee shall maintain close co-operation with the American Baptist Publication Society and the Council on Christian Education of the Northern Baptist Convention in order to participate in the development of the denomination's work of Christian education.

(3) The committee shall approve all Christian education programs before they may be promoted in the State in the name of the Convention.

(4) The committee shall report to the Convention at the annual session.

Section 3. Publicity Committee

The Publicity Committee shall have charge of the publication of The Connecticut Baptist, appointing a Business Manager and co-operating with him in circulating this journal as widely as possible. It shall undertake also the distribution of such literature as will acquaint the churches with the work and needs of the Convention.

Section 4. Committee on Work with New Americans

The Committee on Work with New Americans shall have charge of the work conducted by the Convention with foreign peoples, co-operating with the Executive Secretary, in promoting the interests of this department, and reporting to the Convention through the Executive Secretary.

Section 5. Committee on Aided Churches

The Committee on Aided Churches shall have charge of the work of the Convention in aided English-speaking churches, co-operating with the Executive Secretary, in promoting the interests of this department, and reporting to the Convention through the Executive Secretary.

Section 6. Committee on Evangelism

The Committee on Evangelism shall serve as the medium through which the Convention shall co-operate with the churches in promoting evangelism in the State. It shall seek particularly to lead in evangelistic endeavor, the churches aided by the Convention, reporting to the Convention at the annual session.

Section 7. Committee on Social Action

The Committee on Social Action shall represent the Convention, subject to the direction of the Board of Managers, in measures of co-operation with social agencies and the social action departments of other religious organizations, and, from time to time, shall bring to the attention of the Convention causes meriting consideration.

Section 8. The Committee on Promotion

The Committee on Promotion, subject to the authority of the Board of Managers, shall direct the co-operative relationship of the Convention with The Council on Finance and Promotion of the Northern Baptist Convention and all work arising therefrom commonly embraced under the head of promotion, according to the terms of agreement with The Council on Finance and Promotion, rendering annually to the Convention and the Council such reports as may be required.

Section 9. The Executive Committee

The Executive Committee shall meet twice yearly, in December or January, and in June or July, and hold special meetings, whenever necessary, at the call of the President. It shall transact all business arising between meetings of the Board of Managers and pass on all applications for aid from churches not acted on by the Board; provided, however, that no contract or agreement made by the committee shall remain in force beyond the time of the next meeting of the Board of Managers, unless approved by the Board, except in matters which have been referred to it with power. It shall make a full report of all transactions to the Board of Managers. Seven (7) members shall constitute a quorum.

Section 10. All standing committees named in this Article shall keep accurate and complete records of their proceedings in permanent form and make reports to the Board of Managers when necessary.

ARTICLE IV. DUTIES OF THE OFFICERS OF THE BOARD OF MANAGERS

Section 1. Executive Secretary

(1) The Executive Secretary shall supervise the entire work of the Convention, under the authority of the Board of Managers and its Executive Committee. He shall attend all meetings of the Board of Managers and the Executive Committee, to advise concerning the work, but shall not have the right to vote.

(2) It shall be his duty to visit, counsel and encourage the churches, particularly those aided by the Convention, as there shall be opportunity, and to seek to lead them into participation in the work of the Denomination.

(3) He may not pledge pecuniary aid to churches or missionaries, except as authorized by the Board of Managers or its Executive Committee; provided, however, that with the consent of the Chairman of the Finance Committee, he may in emergencies expend not more than one hundred ($100) dollars in any one month for supply preachers for needy pastorless churches, or for evangelistic or missionary services in such churches.

(4) He shall serve as Recording Secretary of the Convention, the Board of Managers, and the Executive Committee, and shall have charge of printing the Connecticut Baptist Annual.

Section 2. Director of Christian Education

The Director of Christian Education, under the direction of the Executive Secretary and the Board of Managers through its Committee on Christian Education, shall have charge of the work of Christian education. He shall report annually to the Convention.

Section 3. Treasurer

(1) The Treasurer shall be the custodian of the funds of the Convention, both invested and current, receiving and disbursing, or investing the same as directed by the Finance Committee, keeping separate accounts of the various funds of the Convention, and reporting and accounting to the Convention annually, and each quarter, as directed by the Finance Committee.

(2) The Treasurer shall make payments out of the treasury on written order from the Recording Secretary of the Board of Managers, countersigned by the Chairman of the Finance Committee.

(3) The Treasurer shall give corporate bond to the Convention in such sum as the Finance Committee may require.

Section 4. Auditor

The Auditor shall audit the accounts of all financial agents of the Convention annually at the end of each fiscal year and report to the Convention through the Finance Committee, or quarterly, if the Committee shall require.

ARTICLE V. RULES TO GOVERN APPROPRIATIONS

(1) All churches assisted by the Convention shall make their quarterly reports to the Board through the Executive Secretary. All appropriations to churches shall be made quarterly, and no applications for aid will be considered until the report of the church has been received. Quarterly reports must be sent in during the first weeks in October, January, April, and July.

(2) Except as hereinafter stated, appropriations will be made to churches only when such churches have settled pastors, and when they shall have made, within the year preceding, a contribution toward the Unified Budget of The Northern Baptist Convention, and when they shall have satisfied the Board of Managers that their methods of raising funds are systematic, and best adapted to securing the largest possible support from their local constituencies.

(3) No appropriations shall be made to any church, when in the judgment of the Board of Managers the pastor or the church is not considered worthy of such aid. It is therefore required that any church, without a pastor, applying for aid, shall confer with the Executive Secretary, or the Committee on Aided Churches, before the choice and settlement of a pastor.

(4) No appropriation shall be recommended or be made toward the erection of any house of worship, until the approval of the plan by the Board of Managers shall

have been secured; and in all cases where such appropriations amount to $500, or more, the church or society so aided shall execute to the Convention a deed of trust of the property, which shall be held by the Convention until such time as the Board of Managers shall deem it expedient to reconvey the property.

ARTICLE VI. AMENDMENTS

These By-Laws, except such as refer to the duties of the Treasurer and of the Finance Committee, may be changed or additions made thereto at any session of the Convention by a majority vote. Such of the By-Laws as refer to the duties of the Treasurer and of the Finance Committee shall be of equal binding force with the provisions of the Constitution, and can be changed only by a two-thirds vote of all the members present at any session of the Convention, after at least three months' notice in writing to the clerks of all the churches of the Convention.

LEGACIES AND ANNUITIES

In all legal documents the name of this organization should appear as The Connecticut Baptist Convention. The Executive Secretary of the Convention will advise persons wishing to make bequests for the uses of the Convention or for the Convention to hold in trust for the purpose of any particular object. Gifts of money ultimately for the benefit of the Convention will be accepted and interest according to the established annuity rates paid to the donor during life. This plan has the advantage of yielding an exceptionally large rate of interest to the donor for life, while assuring the Convention of the entire amount of money desired to be given at the death of the donor, without any deduction for the settlement of the estate. The Executive Secretary will furnish full information upon request.

MINUTES
OF THE CONNECTICUT BAPTIST CONVENTION

First Baptist Church, Bridgeport, Conn., October 15, 16 and 17, 1941

The One Hundred and Eighteenth Annual Session of The Connecticut Baptist Convention was held in The First Baptist Church, Bridgeport, Connecticut, Rev. J. Melvin Prior, Minister, October 15, 16 and 17, 1941.

Wednesday, 7:30 P. M.

After a song service led by Rev. Kenneth Maxwell, Stratford, and a prayer by Rev. William V. Allen, Meriden, the President of the Convention, Rev. David P. Gaines, presented Dr. Herbert Judson White, who gave an inspiring address on the subject, "Highlights in the Story of the State Convention."

An offering was received, during which time a solo, "How Lovely Are Thy Dwellings" was sung.

The President presented Dr. Henry S. Leiper, who gave an address on "The World Church in the World Conflict."

The worship service was conducted by Rev. William W. Sullivan, Bridgeport. His subject was "Keeping Faith with Myself."

Thursday, 10:00 A. M.

After the singing of a hymn, the President called to order the 118th Session of The Connecticut Baptist Convention.

Prayer was offered by Dr. F. W. Jacobs, Bridgeport.

The report of the Program Committee was presented by Rev. J. Melvin Prior.

Voted: To adopt the report as printed.

The President presented the Mayor of Bridgeport, Hon. Jasper McLevy, who extended a welcome to the Convention.

Dr. M. C. Burt responded to the greetings of the Mayor, on behalf of the Convention.

Dr. M. C. Burt, First Vice-President, presided while the President gave his annual address on "Our Baptist Independence and Inter-dependance."

Dr. Herbert J. White, who was Chairman of the Nominating Committee to secure a new Executive Secretary, introduced to the Convention, Rev. William Sale Terrell, the Executive Secretary, and Mrs. Terrell, both of whom graciously responded. Nancy Prior, daughter of Rev. J. Melvin Prior, presented Mrs. Terrell with a corsage.

Mr. Terrell presented the annual reports of the Board of Promotion and the Board of Managers.

Voted: To accept the reports.

Chapel S. Carter presented the auditors' report of the Treasurer's report.

Voted: To accept the report.

The President announced the appointment of the Committee on Place and Preacher for the next session of the Convention, as follows: Rev. Major Johnson, Chairman, H. V. Santry, Mrs. J. Melvin Prior.

The President submitted the report of the Committee on Re-organization.

Voted: To receive that part of the report relating to the Constitution for action at the next session of the Convention.

Voted: That action on the remainder of the report (the By-Laws) be deferred until Friday morning.

An offering was received.

The Convention sermon was preached by Dr. Horace B. Sloat, South Willington, whose subject was "The Christ Men Forget."

Adjournment.

Meeting of Associational Delegates to nominate members for the Nominating Committee.

Thursday, 2:00 P. M.

After the singing of a hymn, and prayer by Rev. A. King Boutwell, the President presented Rev. G. Merrill Lenox, Associate Director of The Ministers and Missionaries Benefit Board of The Northern Baptist Convention, who delivered an address on the subject, "Worry Free by '43."

Rev. Joseph J. Allen submitted the report of the Committee on Evangelism.

Voted: To accept the report.

Rev. Ellis Gilbert, West Hartford, gave an address on "Advance in Christian Education."

Dr. Osgoode H. McDonald, Rochester, New York, gave an address on "Our Teaching Ministry."

The report of the Department of Christian Education was presented by Rev. Oscar P. Campbell.

Voted: To accept the report.

An offering was received.

Rev. William Sale Terrell spoke on the subject, "What Is the Road to Take?" taking as his text, Psalm 32:8.

Worship was conducted by Mrs. P. E. Dixon, Waterbury, whose theme was "Keeping Faith with My Neighbor."

Adjournment.

Thursday, 7:30 P. M.

After the singing of a hymn, and prayer by Rev. P. D. Chamberlain, Mr. Terrell introduced the new ministers and missionaries.

The Convention session was suspended in order that the Connecticut Baptist Education Society might convene for its annual session, the President, Dr. Edwin T. Settle, Jr., presiding.

After the adjournment of the Connecticut Baptist Education Society, the Convention resumed its session.

Dr. W. E. Saunders, Headmaster of Peddie School, gave an address on "A Christian Philosophy of Education."

An offering was received.

Dr. Kenneth Scott Latourette, Yale University, gave an address on "A Living Spirit in the World Wide Church."

A Communion service, at which the pastor of the entertaining church, Rev. J. Melvin Prior, presided, closed this session of the Convention.

Friday, 9:30 A. M.

After a hymn, Rev. W. G. Backlund offered prayer.

The report of the Committee on the Connecticut Council of Churches and Religious Education was submitted by Rev. Albert E. Couch.

Voted: To accept the report.

Rev. Harry W. Rogge read the report of the Resolutions Committee.

Voted: To adopt the resolutions as submitted in the mimeographed report.

Voted: To mail to the Churches copies of the resolutions as printed, for posting on bulletin boards.

The Committee on Place and Preacher for the next session of the Convention reported as follows: *Place,* First Baptist Church, Waterbury; *Preacher,* Rev. Joseph J. Allen; Alternate, Dr. Edwin T. Settle, Jr.

Voted: To accept the report.

Voted: To take under consideration the revision of the By-Laws of the Convention and the By-Laws of the Board of Manager.s

Voted: That the matter be tabled for further consideration.

Voted: That the above matter be considered at the end of the morning session, allowing 30 minutes, if necessary.

Rev. James N. Zeigler read the report of the Nominating Committee.

Voted: To receive the report.

Voted: That nominations be closed.

Voted: That Rev. Ivan H. Benedict be instructed to cast one ballot for the slate of officers and members of the Board of Managers as named. This action was taken and the nominees declared elected. Rev. James N. Zeigler presided during this action. (See Page 4).

The report of the State Permanent Council was submitted by Rev. Ivan H. Benedict.

Voted: To adopt the report with the understanding that it may be amended according to further information.

The President presented Rev. C. Raymond Chappell, who gave an address on the subject, "Our Churches and the Calling of Ministers."

An offering was received during which the choir of Storer College sang under the direction of Miss Pearl Tatten.

Rev. Walter E. Woodbury, D. D., gave an address on the subject, "Christ's Way of Winning Disciples."

The session at this time was given over to the Woman's Baptist Mission Society of Connecticut, the President, Mrs. Howard S. Palmer, presiding.

Mrs. John W. Bradbury spoke on "Baptist Women and World Emergency," after which a short pageant, "The Living Cross," was presented.

The worship service on the theme, "Keeping Faith with God," was conducted by Rev. Theodore Koester.

The President of the Convention resumed the chair.

VOTED: That the section of the report of the Committee on Re-organization relating to the By-Laws be taken from the table.

Rev. A. S. Woodworth suggested that Article II, Section 1, paragraph C, (page 10 of report) be amended as follows: Committee on the Nomination of Convention officers and members of the Board of Managers, consisting of one member from each association, these to be elected by the associations in annual session of the associations, to serve for succeeding year. Mr. Woodworth presented this as a motion.

The President asked A. D. Pierce to preside, as the chair wished to speak to the motion. He called attention to the fact that by having association delegates appoint the Nominating Committee, it created a situation whereby organizations not a part of the Convention would be nominating officers for the Convention.

Voted: That this section of the report be referred back to the Committee on Re-organization to be considered further and presented at the next annual session of the Convention.

Voted: To delete Section 2 of Article III. *State Permanent Council* (page 82 of report) as there is no longer a Committee on Ministerial Standing.

Voted: To rephrase Section 1, Article II. *Duties of the Board of Managers.*

Voted: That the By-Laws be adopted as amended, as the working instrument of this Convention, excepting Article II, Section 1, Paragraph C, relating to the Nominating Committee.

Adjournment.

Friday, 2:00 P. M.

This session of the Convention was in charge of the World Service Day Committee, Rev. Paul H. Conrad, Rev. G. Pitt Beers, D. D., Rev. Luther Wesley Smith, D. D., and Miss Janet S. McKay, all of whom gave addresses, after which Mr. Conrad conducted a discussion period.

Friday, 6:30 P. M.

Three separate World Service Banquets were held for the: *Women,* First Baptist Church, attendance 275, speaker, Miss Janet McKay; *Men,* First Methodist Church, attendance 75, speaker, Rev. Paul H. Conrad; *Young People,* United Congregational Church, attendance 200, speaker, Dr. Luther Wesley Smith.

Friday, 7:45 P. M.

Following an organ prelude played by Mr. Stofer, a hymn was sung, after which all joined in the 23rd Psalm. Rev. J. E. Parrella offered prayer.

While the offering was being received, the First Baptist quartet sang.

The President, on behalf of the Convention, expressed appreciation of the hospitality of the entertaining Baptist Churches and the other churches serving the banquets.

Rev. J. Melvin Prior reported on enrollment as follows: 420 visitors, 304 delegates, making a total attendance of 724.

Voted: To adjourn after the addresses.

Rev. Paul H. Conrad gave an address on "I Serve Through My Church."

Rev. G. Pitt Beers, D. D., gave an address on "I Press Toward the Mark."

Adjournment.

DAVID P. GAINES,
President.

WM. SALE TERRELL,
Executive Secretary.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MANAGERS

The year 1940-1941 has been marked by far reaching changes in administration due to the resignation of Dr. Elbert E. Gates and to the reorganization within the Department of Finance and Promotion of The Northern Baptist Convention. Due to the fact that the year has brought so many changes the Executive Committee, in session September 19, 1941, elected a special committee to assist the new secretary, Rev. William Sale Terrell, in the preparation of the annual report. The committee was composed of Dr. Gates, Dr. David A. Pitt, Rev. David P. Gaines and Mr. Terrell.

It should be kept clearly in mind that the annual report of the Board covers the general activities of the Convention between sessions, October 1 to September 30, while the fiscal reports are made to cover the period from May 1 to April 30, in order to synchronize with The Northern Baptist Convention year. In this latter relationship it should be pointed out that the entire year covered comes within the adminisration of Dr. Gates, as general secretary of the Convention, and Rev. Herbert E. Hinton, as director of promotion. We are sincerely indebted to both Dr. Gates and Mr. Hinton for their valuable assistance in the preparation of these reports.

Because of his intimate connection with all the matters of re-organization and the selection of a successor to Dr. Gates, President Gaines was requested to prepare for this report several items that would adequately acquaint the constituency with the procedures taken.

A New Executive Secretary and Re-Organization

Aftetr the meeting in New London, a year ago, the Board addressed itself to the two-fold task of finding a successor to Dr. Elbert E. Gates, executive secretary, and of making the organizational adjustments necessitated by the merging of Promotion with the Convention. The first of these responsibilities was entrusted to a large and representative committee, consisting of Rev. Herbert J. White, D.D., chairman, Rev. Frank B. Haggard, D.D., secretary, Mrs. Howard S. Palmer, Mrs. Arthur M. Brown, Rev. Horace B. Sloat, D.D., Rev. Burtt N. Timbie, Rev. J. Melvin Prior, Rev. David A. Pitt, D.D., Walter E. Crittenden, William S. Fuller, William I. Spicer, Howard E. Munson, Rev. John N. Lackey, D.D., and Rev. David P. Gaines, ex-officio.

The Committee's long and prayerful search for a new executive secretary came to an end with the calling on April 18, of Rev. William Sale Terrell from the position of director of Evangelism under the New York State Baptist Missionary Convention, who took up his duties in Connecticut on August 1. Dr. Gates continued in office until that date, and at his retirement the Board conferred upon him the title of Secretary Emeritus. Mr. Hinton remained as Director of Promotion until June 1 and returned from New York for occasional service during June.

Organizational re-adjustments and the re-adaptation of the Constitution and By-Laws have been in the hands of the Committee on Re-organization, which will report at this session of the Convention. There are numerous problems incident to the changes in plans and personnel, which it will require time to resolve. It is anticipated that the Convention will wish to leave this responsibility another year to the Committee on Re-Organization.

Finance

It is the policy of the Board to keep the expenditures within the income of the Convention. An operating budget is set up at the first of each year and every reasonable effort made to conduct the work within its provisions, under the supervision of the Finance Committee, William S. Fuller, chairman. This is rendered difficult, because of the uncertainty with regard to the income from missionary receipts, but it has been found possible to avoid in this way serious deficits and to make a beginning of amortizing the considerable indebtedness in the current expense account which was accumulated some years back and the funds used to liquidate the mortgage on the Calvary Baptist Church, Torrington.

As of June 1, 1941, the expenses of Promotion in Connecticut will be borne by the Convention, in consideration of which the Council on Finance and Promotion of The Northern Baptist Convention is at present appropriating $4,000.00 a year to the Convention. The Council also bore part of the expenses incident to the settling of the executive secretary.

The progressive reduction to this state by The American Baptist Publication Society of its appropriation is creating for the Convention a serious financial problem in the maintenance of the Department of Christian Education which must claim our earliest attention during the year ahead.

The Board has long realized the urgent need for the Convention to give consideration to possible ways of increasing its income. There is not now a single department of our work that is adequately provided for. The fact that the same difficulty besets all our Conventions and Societies only makes more imperative our taking thought for what we can do toward the solution of our own problem. The most direct and immediate help, within the rules of our co-operative denominational plan would be more designated gifts from individuals and churches. If each of us individually and each of our churches would annually make some contribution directly to the Convention for its work—in addition, of course, to our regular support of the Unified Budget, no great sacrifice by any of us would be needed to remove the Convention from its chronic state of financial embarrassment. The Board appreciates the generous remembrance of our work by many individuals and churches which regularly make designated gifts.

Woman's Work

As always the women have manifested their loyal cooperation in the work of the Convention. The Woman's Society, under the guidance of Mrs. Howard S. Palmer, offers to the women of the state singular opportunity for complete participation in Kingdom service. In addition to their usual aggressive program the women of Connecticut did their full share toward raising the $70,000 undertaken by the women of the Northern Baptist Convention.

Men's Work

The phenomenal upturn in industry, due to defense projects in this highly industrialized area has added new problems to the department of Men's Work. It is increasingly difficult for men to find time to attend meetings or to participate in

church programs. This work is directed by the Connecticut Baptist Men's Council. E. N. Wooding has been president during the year. The annual conference at Middletown, May 4, was well attended. The present need is for an active men's committee in each of the six Associations committed to carrying forward a program that will reach effectively into the local church.

Evangelism

The Convention has no Department of Evangelism but the work of providing suggestions and inspiration for evangelistic activity in the local church is under the direction of an Evangelistic Committee, of which Rev. J. J. Allen is the chairman. Connecticut was unusually fortunate this year in having three of the Christian Mission Centers within its borders. The World Wide Communion Sunday stimulated Christian fellowship and the program for printed page evangelism (distribution of a series of four tracts) was highly productive where it was persistently followed. Dr. Walter E. Woodbury, secretary of evangelism of The American Baptist Home Mission Society, met with the State Committee on Evangelism and a number of pastors, for a planning meeting at Hartford, September 22.

Pastors' Retreat

The Board of Managers last year provided through a special budgetary item an amount to be used for a Pastors' Retreat. The meeting was held at Suffield Academy, September 8—9, centering around a series of addresses given by Dr. Raymond Calkins, Cambridge, Mass. These Retreats are worthwhile and need to be further developed to include every pastor in the state.

Christian Education

The annual report of the Department of Christian Education has been prepared by the director, Rev. Oscar P. Campbell. Attention should be given to the fine accomplishments during the first year of the Church School Advance. The young people's assembly at Storrs was an unusual success gaged by every standard for young people's conferences. Our churches are becoming increasingly aware of the necessity of providing adequate leadership and facilities for the promotiton of an educational program that will include not only children and youth but neglected adults as well.

Bi-Lingual Experiment

In line with the new policy of The American Baptist Home Mission Society, the Second Church, Bridgeport, Rev. William W. Sullivan, pastor, has been designated as an experiment center for working out an effective church program in a bi-lingual community. The State Convention and the Home Mission Society are sharing equally the financial burden in this project. At the present time, Rev. Walter Morris is assisting Mr. Sullivan, working mainly with men.

Aided Church Department

The Convention annually appropriates approximately $3,000.00 for work among aided churches. This work is supervised by a committee of which Rev. Lester T.

Mallery has been chairman during the past year. This money is regarded as an investment and in each case the goal is financial independence of the church.

During the year the First Church, West Haven, Dr. Edwin T. Settle, pastor, became self-supporting (as of January 1). As a result of their own sacrificial effort and the assistance of the State Convention the mortgage on the church property has been paid off.

The Hartford, Mt. Olive Church, Rev. Goode S. Clark, pastor, during this year has sold its property on Bellevue Street to the Housing Authorities and has purchased a building formerly owned by the Jewish Synagogue on Suffield Street. Recently the church has secured a gift mortgage from The American Baptist Home Mission Society of $1,000.00 and it has been agreed that this amount will be transferred to the new property.

The Brooklyn Federated Church has secured as a full-time pastor Rev. F. Story Hildreth, a former Baptist missionary in China.

The Cheshire Hull Memorial Church, Rev. V. H. Wilson, pastor, is a new church on the aided list this year. This is in a growing suburb of New Haven.

New American Work

The Convention recognizes its responsibility to the state as a home mission opportunity, and in so far as its resources permit, cooperates fully with our home mission agencies in the work among the New Americans (bi-lingual groups). During the year a closer study has been made of some of the fields. It is the purpose of the Convention to invest where we can hopefully look for the largest Kingdom dividends. Some of the outstanding features of the work this year are, as follows:

The Bridgeport and Torrington Czecho-Slovakian groups were served for three months during the summer by Dr. Jindrick Prochazka, a refugee professor. He relinquished this work September 1st to become a teacher at Shurtleff College, Alton, Ill. Rev. Paul E. Skokan, who for many years cared for the work prior to the coming of Dr. Prochazka, has resumed his relationship to the work. Dr. Herbert Judson White, assumed the pastorate of Calvary Church, Torrington, in May and, in connection with his work, will give pastoral oversight to the Czecho-Slovak work in Torrington.

First Italian Church, Meriden, has undertaken a vigorous campaign under the direction of the pastor, Rev. Luigi Turco, to procure funds for a very much needed educational plant.

Following extended conferences an arrangement has been worked out by which the Italian Congregationalists and Baptists in Waterbury will use the Baptist building for united worship.

Union Church of Chester

The Chester Baptist Church which has been closed for a number of years has united with the Congregational Church and hereafter will be known as the Union Church of Chester.

Suffield Academy

The Board of Managers following its usual custom recommends that .0209 percent of the total distributable money raised in the state be given to Suffield Academy toward the Connecticut Baptist Convention Endowment Fund of $50,000.00. The fund now totals $46,240.09.

The Connecticut Baptist

Mr. Hinton's retirement from the services of the Convention necessitated his resignation as business manager and Mr. Campbell was appointed as temporary manager. Mr. Terrell has assumed the position as editor. The size of the paper has been changed in order to conform with the Northern Baptist Convention Supplement. While this increases the general missionary information and may reduce somewhat the cost of the paper it does restrict column space for field items and necessary promotional material for the Convention. The present circulation is approximately 1,350.

Board Personnel

Dr. Elbert E. Gates, the retiring secretary and Rev. Herbert Judson White, D.D., were elected to honorary membership on the Board of Managers. Rev. Frank Alden Tobey, pastor at Noank, is on temporary leave of absence from his church while serving as chaplain in the Army. Mr. Tobey recently has been promoted to the rank of Major. The Board has been deprived of the useful counsel of Miss Mary L. Howard, who has not been able to attend meetings during the year on account of serious illness.

Personal

In submitting this report, on behalf of the Board of Managers, the executive secretary avails himself of the privilege of adding a personal paragraph to express his deep appreciation for the hearty welcome accorded him by Connecticut Baptists and to give a brief accounting of his stewardship for the ten weeks he has been serving in this office.

The speedometer attests the fact that already many contacts have been made in widely separated sections of the state. He has appeared before all of the Associations except the Stonington Union which met in June, but there he has attended the annual Woman's Mission Society meeting and also addressed the Bible School Association.

Learning the routine of administration has required close application to the desk. In the Department of Promotion the World Emergency Fund has been the chief objective during the recent weeks. The churches are being aroused and general confidence prevails that we shall reach our Emergency Goal of $25,000.

Respectfully submitted,

On behalf of the Board of Managers,

WM. SALE TERRELL,
Executive Secretary.

SUMMARY OF REPORTS OF AIDED CHURCHES (October 1, 1940, to October 1, 1941)

CHURCHES	PASTORS	Weeks of Service	Baptized	Added by Letter, etc.	Sermons Preached	Prayer Meetings Conducted	Pastoral Visits	Membership	Sunday School Enrollment	FINANCES			Convention Grant
										Local Expenses	Missionary Offerings	Total	
Bridgeport, King's Hwy.	Albert R. Hahn	52			50	19	305	72	70	$1,089.60		$1,089.60	$150.00
Brooklyn, Federated	E. Story Hildreth	26	1		39	14	518	32	42	1,229.84	10.28	1,240.12	30.00
Cheshire, Hull Mem'l	Valentine H. Wilson	52		8	55		270	35	35	1,902.62	125.00	2,027.62	125.00
Danbury, New Hope	J. Edward Harris	52			45		115	54	16	801.98	103.58	905.56	240.00
Hartford, Bethel (Swed.)	Ernest Olson	52		9	87	63	449	106	77	4,326.70	239.90	4,566.60	142.12
Hartford, Mt. Olive	Goode S. Clark	52	14	18	93	38	113	485	70	1,619.00	45.00	1,664.00	88.84
Milford	W. C. Minton	52			80	52	373	51	45	413.52	5.00	418.52	44.40
Montowese	Leonard A. Duce	52	5	6	47		349	169	95	1,886.00	161.65	2,047.65	240.00
Norwich, Third	John A. Swetnam	52	4	2	85	42	316	115	70	1,687.86	345.86	2,033.72	270.68
Stratfield	Melville G. Hatcher	52	4	1	82	46	495	154	171	3,521.47	279.25	3,800.72	238.88
Stratford	Kenneth L. Maxwell	52	10	7	49	36	366	167	150	3,361.62	595.71	3,957.33	400.00
West Haven, First	Edwin T. Settle, Ph. D.	13		5	13		125	302	140	5,456.42	71.77	5,528.19	142.50
Voluntown	A. S. Woodworth	52			46		56	36	62	282.00	35.00	317.00	99.68
Mort. Int., Ins., Repairs, etc.	Aiding Churches												2,664.50
	Totals	611	38	56	771	310	3850	1778	1043	$27,578.63	$2,018.00	$29,596.63	$4,876.60

SUMMARY OF REPORTS — "NEW AMERICANS" (October 1, 1940, to October 1, 1941)

MISSIONARIES	FIELD OF LABOR	Weeks of Service	Sermons Delivered	Prayer Meetings Conducted	Other Addresses	Pastoral Visits	Baptisms	Membership	Sunday School Enrollment	Paid by State Convention a/c Salary	Paid by A. B. H. M. Society a/c Salary	Paid by Local Field a/c Salary	Paid by Local Field a/c property improvements and incidental exps.	Received by N. B. C. Apr. 30, 1940, to April 30, 1941
Biro, Michael	Wallingford, Hungarian	52	97	142	6	655		62	65	$598.00	$552.00	$360.00	$177.75	$84.40
Daviduk, John	Ansonia, Russian	52	24					34						10.00
Daviduk, John	Hartford, Russian	52	91	52	13			80	65				1,370.00	38.00
Daviduk, John	Meriden, Russian	39	5					6		330.00	300.00			
Daviduk, John	New Haven, Russian	39	4					4						
Daviduk, John	Waterbury, Russian	52	98	13				80	40				78.00	30.00
LoPresti, Salvatore	Ansonia, Italian	52	65	39		451	7	92	60	438.60	490.00	600.00	377.54	14.00
LoPresti, Salvatore	Bridgeport, Italian	34	34			191		42		176.77	242.00	97.50	45.00	14.00
Parrella, J. E.	New Haven, Italian	52	71	39		275		79	48	556.20	790.00	120.00	214.70	
Parrella, J. E.	Waterbury, Italian	52	88	49	12	230		40	28			155.00	397.01	
Prochazki, Jindrich	Bridgeport, Czecho-Slovak	8	7			31				140.00	150.00	30.00		30.00
Prochazki, Jindrich	Torrington, Czecho-Slovak	8	15	9		59						40.00		
Roca, Antonio	Hartford, Italian	52	52	52	1	760	2	93		284.32	100.00	120.00		15.00
Skokan, Paul E.	Bridgeport, Czecho-Slovak	30	28		29	55		19	25	160.00			24.00	
Skokan, Paul E.	Torrington, Czecho-Slovak	30	29	27	14	70		29	35			105.00		45.90
Stumpf, Arthur	Bridgeport, Hungarian	52	144	104	17	640	1	112	80	278.14	550.00	700.00	530.00	130.00
Turco, Luigi	Meriden, Italian	52	86	36	3	493	4	114	114	520.44	480.00	680.00	467.65	120.69
New Haven Baptist Union	c/o Budget Ital. Work	52								325.77				
Rents, Mort. Int., Ins., Rep.	Use of "New Americans"	52								1,676.00				
	Totals	812	938	562	95	3910	14	886	560	$5,484.24	$3,654.00	$3,007.50	$3,681.65	$531.99
Sullivan, Wm. W.	Bridgeport "Special"	19	20	17				217	86	104.17	104.17	675.00	353.44	150.02

TREASURER'S REPORT

CONNECTICUT BAPTIST CONVENTION

in account with

HARTFORD NATIONAL BANK & TRUST CO., TREASURER

RECEIPTS

Balance principal on hand, April 30, 1940		$ 2,290.00
Balance income on hand, April 30, 1940		4,033.99
Northern Baptist Convention on Finance and Promotion		
Distributable Receipts 1940-41	$ 10,748.44	
Designated Items 1940-41	2,350.14	
		$ 13,098.58
Convention Special		335.00
Suffield School for the Connecticut Baptist Endowment Fund		1,414.94
Income from funds held for Covention use		11,420.33
American Baptist Home Mission Society:		
For distribution "New Americans"		3,504.00
American Baptist Publication Society:		
Account of salary and expenses of Christian Education Director		1,918.20

Principal of Funds:

Transferred from income to amortize accumulated deficit	$ 500.00
Received of Realty Finance & Mortgage Co. purchase price of option to buy real estate, Grand Avenue and Poplar St., New Haven	5.00
Received on account principal, Estate Edward M. Yeomans	100.00
Received on account principal, John and Anna S. Meder	200.00
Received on account principal, Russian Evangelical Baptist Church	200.00
Received on account principal, Blue Hills Baptist Church	400.00
Received on account principal, Bella D. Epstein	200.00
Received on account principal, Louis Fine	200.00
Received on account principal, Samuel Schweitzer	70.00
Received on account principal, Joseph C. Mello, et al.,	500.00
Received on account principal, Mortgage Participation Certificate P6-1816	8.00
Called as of Jan. 1, 1941 @ 105, $10,000 Southern California Edison Co., Ltd. Ref. Mtge., 3¾—May 1, 1960	10,500.00
Called as of March 1, 1941 @ 105, $9,000 Detroit Edison Co., 4½%, Feb. 1, 1961	9,450.00
Received from Sarah A. Hull, Bristol, Conn., annuity contract	400.00
Transferred from income to amortize Torrington Calvary Baptist Church mortgage	1,200.00

Transferred from income to charge off Sinking Funds on the following bonds:			
Province of Ontario	$ .46		
Duquesne Light Co.	18.94		
U. S. A. Treas. 3-1948-46	76.34		
Southern California Edison Co.	6.88		
Detroit Edison Co.	8.58		
American Tel. & Tel. Co.	4.00		
		$ 115.20	
			$ 24,048.20

OTHER RECEIPTS

Sale of old Duplicator	$ 2.50	
Fairfield Baptist Association, a/c 1939 minutes in Annual	16.50	
Connecticut Baptist Board of Promotion, printing report in Annual	58.15	
State Convention at New London, Conn., Collections $175.06, less expenses $167.09	7.97	
South Norwalk Hungarian Chapel	6.42	
Reimbursement on account legal service from Bridgeport Memorial Fund	200.00	
New London Baptist Association, minutes 1940 Annual	35.00	
Hartford Baptist Association, minutes 1940 Annual	25.00	
New Haven Baptist Association, minutes 1940 Annual	35.00	
Conn. Baptist Education Society report 1940 Annual	10.00	
		$ 396.54
		$ 62,459.78

PAYMENTS

Work Among Aided Churches—

Bridgeport (German) King's Highway		$ 150.00	
Danbury, New Hope		240.00	
Hartford, Mt. Olive Church		88.84	
Hartford, Bethel		142.12	
Milford		44.40	
Montowese		240.00	
Montville Union Baptist Church—Interest on mortgage		300.00	
Norwich, Third Church		270.68	
Stratfield		239.88	
Stratford		400.00	
Voluntown		99.68	
West Haven, First, interest on mortgage	$ 202.50		
West Haven, First,	380.00		
West Haven, First, per vote of Board of Managers	550.00		
		$ 1,132.50	
			$ 3,348.10

Work Among New Americans—

Ansonia, Italian — Salary		$ 438.62	
Bridgeport, Italian — Salary		176.77	
Bridgeport, Italian — Rent		420.00	
Bridgeport, Slovak — Mission Rent		90.00	
Bridgeport, Hungarian — Salary		278.10	
Bridgeport, Torrington — Slovak, Salary		234.56	
Hartford, Italian — Salary		284.32	
Meriden, Italian — Salary		480.48	
New Haven, Italian — Area Work		25.00	
New Haven, Italian — Salary	$ 556.24		
Interest on Mortgage	319.00		
		$ 875.24	
Russian Misison — Salary		329.63	
Wallingford, Hungarian		597.97	
Waterbury, Italian			
Woman Missionary	$ 30.00		
Interest on Mortgage	292.50		
Principal on Mortgage	200.00		
		$ 522.50	
			$ 4,753.19
Suffield School, account the Connecticut Baptist Convention, Endowment Fund			1,414.94
Missionaries, amounts received from American Baptist Home Mission Society			3,504.00
Interest on Annuity Contracts			2,493.61

Salaries and Expenses—

General Secretary—Salary	$ 3,400.00		
Expenses	505.52		
		3,905.52	
Director Religious Education—Salary	$ 3,300.00		
Expenses	654.42		
		3,954.42	
Treasurer's fee		1,350.00	
Stenographer		950.50	
			$ 10,160.44

General Expenses—

Legal Fees	$ 100.00
Office	660.00
Telephone	124.77
Printing Annual	338.96
Auto Expense	167.15
State Paper	25.00
New Haven Baptist Union	390.91

Office Supplies		41.59	
Postage		42.82	
Insurance		923.46	
Committee Meeting Expense		130.50	
Property Committee Expense		41.76	
Convention Delegates Expense—Atlantic City and Chicago		206.69	
Evangelistic Committee Expense		12.83	
Chesterfield Cemetery Lot		10.00	
Connecticut Baptist Education Society		1,025.00	
John S. Hale, Milford, Conn., payment of income from Fund established by David S. Clarke		5.00	
Summer Assembly at Storrs—Expenses	$ 4,346.19		
Receipts	3,977.50		
		$ 368.69	
Printing		31.75	
Transferred to principal to amortize accumulated deficit		500.00	
Transferred to principal to amortize the Torrington Calvary Baptist Church mortgage		1,200.00	
President's Travel Expense		141.23	
New England Baptist Conference		25.00	
Home Mission Agencies, dues		10.00	
Christian Education Department Expenses—			
Telephone	$ 50.65		
Postage	47.33		
Printing	11.00		
Youth Committee	6.55		
		$ 115.53	
Speed-O-Print, Convention share		19.28	
Sinking Funds—			
Province of Ontario	$ .46		
Duquesne Light Co.	18.94		
U. S. A. Treas.	76.34		
Southern California Edison Company	6.88		
Detroit Edison	8.58		
American Tel. & Tel. Co.	4.00		
		$ 115.20	
			$ 6,773.12

Principal of Funds:

Purchase 75 shs. Chemical Bank & Trust Co. par 10 @ 47, comm. 28.13	$ 3,553.13
Purchase 50 shs. American Telephone & Telegraph Co., par 100 @ 166¼, comm. $14.50, tax $5, postage 25c	8,326.00
Purchase 100 shs. Pacific Gas & Elec. Co. 6%, 1st Pfd., par $25, @ 34¾, comm. $16	3,491.00
Purchase 35 shs. Southern New England Telephone Co., par 100 @ 167½	5,862.50

Purchase 15 shs. Southern New England Telephone Co., common ,par 100 @ 168	2,520.00	
Deposit, Mechanics Savings Bank	880.00	
		$ 24,632.63
Balance principal on hand		1,705.57
Balance income on hand		3,674.18
		$ 62,459.78

MEMORANDUM STATEMENT OF CASH BALANCE, ETC.

Operating Account—

Income cash balance, April 30, 1940	$	4,033.99
Income cash balance, April 30, 1941		3,674.18
Loss for the year ending April 30, 1941	$	359.81
Total Expenditures for the year ending April 30, 1941	$	32,447.40
Total Receipts for year ending April 30, 1941		32,087.59
	$	359.81
Previous accumulated deficit		19,000.00
Less amount amortized		500.00
	$	18,500.00
Less balance on hand, April 30, 1941		3,674.18
	$	14,825.82

Principal Account—

Principal cash April 30, 1940	$	2,290.00
Principal cash April 30, 1941		1,705.57

HARTFORD NATIONAL BANK AND TRUST COMPANY

TREASURER

By_____

Trust Officer

ANNUITY CONTRACTS OUTSTANDING

Mrs. Lydia A. Bartlett	$ 100.00	7.8	Apr. 15	Oct. 15
Mrs. Lydia A. Bartlett	100.00	7.9	Dec. 15	June 15
F. P. Batchelder	3,000.00	6.8	Mar., June	Sept., Dec. 1
Miss Elizabeth A. Burrows	1,000.00	7.9	Apr. 1	Oct. 1
Mary A. Gordon	1,700.00	6	Mar. 1	Sept. 1
Mary A. Gordon	1,500.00	7.6	Mar. 1	Sept. 1
Rosa O. Hall	10,000.00	7	Feb., May	Aug., Nov. 1
Rosa O. Hall	10,000.00	6.9	Feb., May	Aug., Nov. 1
Sarah A. Hull	400.00	5.5	Feb. 20	Aug. 20
Mrs. Fannie A. Newland	2,647.44	6.2	Feb., May	Aug., Nov. 1
Ralph J. Shipley	1,000.00	7.9	Apr. 15	Oct. 15
Miss Helen A. Stevens	1,000.00	6.3	Jan. 15	July 15
Miss Helen A. Stevens	1,000.00	6.4	Jan. 15	July 15
A New Haven Friend	1,000.00	7.6	Jan. 15	July 15
A New Haven Friend	1,000.00	7.8	Jan. 15	July 15
A New Haven Friend	500.00	8.3	Jan. 15	July 15
A New Haven Friend	500.00	8.6	Apr. 15	Oct. 15

Rev. Elbert E. Gates, D. D., General Secretary,
The Connecticut Baptist Convention,
Hartford, Connecticut.

Dear Sir:

We have checked the security holdings of the Connecticut Baptist Convention for the period May 1, 1940, to April 30, 1941, and the financial transactions connected therewith as recorded in the books, accounts and records of the Hartford National Bank and Trust Company, Treasurer of said Convention, and have found them correct.

CHAPEL S. CARTER,
CHARLES H. BIDWELL,
Auditors for the Convention.

August 8, 1941.

FUNDS HELD BY THE CONVENTION
CONSOLIDATED FUND

Andover Church Fund	$ 1,000.00
Andover Parsonage Fund	1,200.00
Jane E. Balcom Fund	2,900.00
Valentine Ballard Fund	200.00
Bantam Baptist Church Fund	395.00
Lydia A. Bartlett Annuity Fund	200.00
F. P. Batchelder Annuity Fund	3,000.00
Helen Beebe Fund	2,000.00

Robert Birney Fund	522.53
Hiram Burnet Fund	500.00
J. A. Burnet Fund	1,000.00
Elizabeth A. Burrows Annuity Fund	1,000.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Bridgeport, Fund	7,299.37
Calvary Baptist Church, Torrington, Fund	5,000.00
E. Louise Carey Annuity Fund	100.00
C. H. Chapman Fund	6,500.00
Lucy B. Chapman Fund	1,000.00
Chesterfield Church Fund No. 2	920.72
David L. Clarke Fund	200.00
George N. Clark Fund	2,000.00
Ida B. Condell Fund	9,433.12
Cromwell Baptist Church Fund	9,190.48
William A. Erving Fund	68,881.71
Fairfield Church Fund	2,000.00
Lucy A. Fiske Fund	500.00
Sarah L. Frisbie Fund	1,000.00
A. M. Fuller Fund	200.00
Gertrude Hakes Gale Fund	5,000.00
Elizabeth H. Gallup Fund	2,000.00
William A. Grippin Fund	10,000.00
Charles F. and Eliza Gordon Annuity Fund	2,000.00
Mary A. Gordon Annuity Fund	1,700.00
Mary A. Gordon Annuity Fund	1,500.00
Levi A. Hall Fund	10,874.93
Rosa O. Hall Annuity Fund	10,000.00
Rosa O. Hall Annuity Fund	10,000.00
Lucy A. Hancox Fund	5,000.00
Harriet B. Harris Fund	500.00
Ives W. Hart Fund	2,000.00
George H. Hill Fund	5,226.59
Sarah A. Hull Annuity Fund	400.00
James L. Howard Fund	2,500.00
Howard Valley Fund	1,000.00
Helen M. King Fund	2,000.00
Arrisa A. Kinney Fund No. 1	2,000.00
Albert G. Lawson Fund	104.22
Mrs. B. H. Ludwig Fund	11,950.00
Annuity Fund of a New Haven Friend	3,000.00
Fannie A. Newland Annuity Fund	2,647.44
G. W. Nicholson Memorial Fund	1,350.00
North Lyme Women's Missionary Society	59.05
Old Lyme Baptist Church Fund	8,676.13
William Pettibone Fund	2,193.56
W. A. and A. B. Phillips Fund	2,000.00
W. A. Phillips Annuity Fund	500.00
Martha Rogers Fund	500.00

Sarah Searles Fund	100.00
C. H. Sheldon Fund	500.00
Alfred and Ralph Shipley Annuity Fund	$ 1,000.00
Ann J. Shipley Fund	2,942.78
Cornelia A. W. Silliman Annuity Fund	1,000.00
Sarah Dennison Smith Fund, in memory of Rev. William Dennison	500.00
Helen A. Stevens Annuity Fund	2,065.00
Dr. E. G. Sumner Fund	500.00
Tariffville Baptist Church Fund	945.94
Henry A. Tryon Fund	6,335.32
Julius Twiss Fund	3,500.00
Waldo G. Twiss Fund	4,500.00
Fund given by Two Friends	3,088.00
Henry and Almira Westcott Memorial Fund	5,000.00
Cora L. Whipple Fund	1,166.19
Leander and Fannie A. Wilcox Fund	1,000.00
Fannie Wilkinson Fund	432.50
George G. Wilmott Fund	1,250.00
Eunice Wood Fund	39,997.37
Eunice Wood Trust Fund	3,033.75
Stephen Woodward Fund	500.00
E. Isabelle Youngs Fund	201.19
Eliza J. Gilbert Fund	700.00
	$315,082.89
Loss	20,999.15
	$294,083.74

INVESTMENTS

Bonds

$10,000.	American Tel. & Tel. Co. Deb. 3¼—1961	$ 10,082.00
5,000.	Brooklyn Edison Co., cons. mtge. 3¼—1966	5,126.03
8,000.	Duquesne Light Company, 1st 3½—1965	8,464.17
5,000.	Missouri, Kansas & Texas R. R. Prior Lien "A" 5—1962	2,488.82
10,000.	Northern Pacific Ry. Ref. & Imp. "B" 6—2047	10,800.00
10,000.	Province of Ontario, 5—1959	10,008.59
10,000.	Pennsylvania R. R. Gen. "A" Reg'd 4½—1965	9,812.50
2,000.	Province of Quebec, Reg'd 4½—1956	1,967.00
5,000.	Province of Quebec, 4¼—1961	4,987.50
16,000.	U. S. A. Treasury Bonds, 3—1946/48	16,419.95

Stocks

70 shs.	Aetna Insurance Company	$ 4,200.00
191 "	Aetna Life Insurance Company	8,977.00
50 "	American Tel. & Tel. Company, capital stock	8,326.00

22	"	Bank of New York	10,656.00
90	"	Bankers Trust Company of New York	8,647.50
75	"	Central Hanover Bank & Trust Company	11,518.75
105	"	Chase National Bank, New York	6,134.31
85	"	Chemical Bank & Trust Co.	4,233.13
20	"	Guaranty Trust Co. of New York	7,356.50
120	"	Hartford Electric Light Company	8,582.00
65	"	New York Trust Company	11,549.50
100	"	Pacific Gas & Electric Co., cum. 1st pfd.	3,491.00
50	"	Southern New England Telephone Co.	8,382.50
20	"	Travelers Insurance Company	10,270.00
10	"	Union Pacific Railroad Company	1,750.00
5	"	United States Trust Co. of New York	13,020.00

Mortgage Loans:

Mortgage Participation Certificate #P6

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 33-43 Asylum St., Hartford, Conn., in the name of Estate of Arthur L. Foster) ..... $ 583.00

John and Anna S. Meder

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 39-41 Sherbrooke Ave., Hartford, Connecticut) 6,500.00

Joseph C. and A. A. Mello

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 19-21 Bonner Street, Hartford, Connecticut) 6,000.00

Russian Evangelical Baptist Church

(Secured by first mortgage on, real estate located at 127 Mather Street, Hartford, Connecticut) 3,400.00

Edward M. Yeomans

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at Andover, Connecticut) 850.00

Calvary Baptist Church

(Secured by second mortgage on real estate located at 142 Prospect Street, Torrington, Connecticut) 5,000.00

Louis Fine

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 23-25 Andover Street, Hartford, Conn.) 7,600.00

Belle D. Epstein

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 15-17 Thomaston Street, Hartford, Connecticut) 9,100.00

Second Baptist Church, Bridgeport

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at Kossuth and Artic Streets, Bridgeport, Conn.) 5,925.00

Blue Hills Baptist Church

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 690 Blue Hills Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut) 5,790.00

Trustees of Main Street Baptist Church

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at East Main Street, Meriden, Connecticut) 4,800.00

Samuel Schweitzer—part interest

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 114-116 Magnolia Street, Hartford, Connecticut) 1,432.00

The Calvary Baptist Church

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at Prospect Street, Torrington, Connecticut) 16,200.00

Savings Banks

Mechanics Savings Bank	$ 3,818.40
Norwich Savings Society	59.05
Society for Savings	1,053.72
State Savings Bank	2,688.90

Real Estate

Cherry Street, Danbury, Connecticut, deed	1.00
800/225,000 interest in real estate, 1083-1097 Main Street, Hartford, Connecticut	800.00
The title to said real estate stands in the name of Hartford National Bank & Trust Company, Trustee, said real estate having been acquired by said Bank as Trustee as result of a default in a mortgage which as such Trustee it formerly held on said property.	
5,000/75,000 interest in real estae, 73-81 Mulberry Street, corner Wells Street, Hartford, Connecticut	$ 5,223.35
The title to said real estate stands in the name of Hartford National Bank & Trust Company, Trustee, said real estate having been acquired by said Bank as Trustee as result of a default in a mortgage which as such Trustee it formerly held on said property.	

Miscellaneous

Agreement—New Hope Baptist Church, Danbury, Connecticut, dated March 16, 1915	$ 1.00
Loan—Capital Account to Operating Account	1.00
Various Annuity Contracts	1.00
CASH	5.57
	$294,083.74

JULIA M. H. ANDREWS TRUST FUND

Bonds

$3,000.	Brooklyn Edison Co., cons. mtge. 3¼—1966	$ 3,076.50

Stocks

97 shs.	Chase National Bank, New York	$ 5,180.80
14 "	Guaranty Trust Co. of New York	2,893.04
5 "	New York Trust Company	857.50

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank	1,998.44
	$ 14,006.28

After the death of the present beneficiary, this fund is to be divided into four equal parts:

One-fourth for the benefit of the Connecticut Baptist Convention

One-fourth for the benefit of certain beneficiaries and at their death to become the property of the Convention

One-fourth for the benefit of certain other beneficiaries and at their death, income to be paid to the Moosup Baptist Church of Moosup

One-fourth for the benefit of Moosup Baptist Church of Moosup. Should this church cease to exist or discontinue its services after becoming the direct beneficiary, the income of these last two funds is to be paid to the Convention.

THURSTON B. BARBER TRUST FUND #1

Bonds

$5,000.	American Tel. & Tel. Co., deb. 3¼s—1961	$ 5,041.00
2,000.	Duquesne Light Company, 1st 3½s—1965	2,033.15

Stocks

25 shs.	Central Hanover Bank & Trust Company	3,368.75
6 "	Guaranty Trust Company of New York	3,239.52

Savings Banks

Mechanics Savings Bank	1,840.60

Real Estate

400/225,000 interest in real estate, 1083-1097 Main Street, Hartford, Connecticut. The title to said real estate stands in the name of Hartford National Bank & Trust Company, Trustee, said real estate having been acquired by said Bank as Trustee as result of a default in a mortgage which as such Trustee it formerly held on said property	400.00
	$ 15,923.02

Income to be used for special emergencies in connection with the work of the Connecticut Baptist Convention in the following ways: to pay in-

debtedness, to assist in the erection of Church edifices, and establish new locations, the income to be used in such a way as to do the greatest good to individual churches.

THURSTON B. BARBER TRUST FUND #2

Savings Banks

Society for Savings ..... $ 1,019.07

Held by the Connecticut Baptist Convention as Trustee under the will of Thurston B. Barber, for the benefit of Mrs. Lena Gardner Taylor.

THURSTON B. BARBER TRUST FUND #3

Savings Banks

Society for Savings ..... $ 1,019.06

Held by the Connecticut Baptist Convention as Trustee under the will of Thurston B. Barber, for the benefit of Thurston Barber Robbins.

LYDIA A. BARTLETT FUND

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank ..... $ 200.00

Income to East Killingly Church.

REV. AND MRS. FREDERICK L. BATCHELDER FUND

Stocks

25 shs. Manufacturers Trust Company, cum. conv. pfd. ..... $ 1,340.63

10 " New York Trust Company 1,182.50

Savings Banks

Travelers Bank & Trust Company 70.12

$ 2,593.25

Income to Stafford Church.

MRS. ALICE HOWARD BENNETT FUND

Bonds

$5,000. Province of Ontario, 4½s—1954 ..... $ 5,338.25

Stocks

60 shs. Bankers Trust Company, New York 4,290.00

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank 371.75

$ 10,000.00

Income to the Connecticut Baptist Convention.

BRIDGEPORT MEMORIAL CHURCH FUND

Stocks

40 shs. Pacific Gas & Elec. Co. cum. 1st pfd.	$ 1,396.40

Mortgage Loans

Second Church of Christ Scientist, Bridgeport. (Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at Howard and Maplewood Avenues, Bridgeport, Connecticut)	8,000.00
CASH	85.85
	$ 9,482.25

POLLY BROWNSON FUND

Mortgage Loans

Mortgage Participation Certificate #P5

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 81-83 Asylum Street, Hartford, Conn., in the name of Estate of Arthur L. Foster)	$ 484.00

Savings Banks

Society for Savings	1,915.34
CASH	452.10
	$ 2,851.44

Income accrued to fund.

ASHER H. CHAPMAN FUND

Stocks

5 shs. Cons. Edison Co. of New York, Inc., cum. pfd.	$ 536.03
4 " First National Bank of Stonington	1.00

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank	383.97
	$ 921.00

Income to First North Stonington Church.

CHESTERFIELD CHURCH FUND #1

Savings Banks

Mechanics Savings Bank	$ 1,000.00
Society for Savings	1,000.00
State Savings Bank	500.00
	$ 2,500.00

Income to Connecticut Baptist Convention.

CHURCH EDIFICE FUND — REGULAR

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank	$ 1,769.42

Income accrued to fund.

MR. AND MRS. FLOYD CRANSKA FUND

Bonds

$2,000. Pacific Gas & Electric Company, 1st and Ref. "H" 3¾s—1961	$ 2,079.11

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank	521.22
	$ 2,600.33

Income divided equally between Moosup Baptist Church, Moosup, and Convention.

EBER DUNHAM FUND

Stocks

50 shs.	Cons. Edison Company of New York, Inc., cum. pfd.	$ 5,360.50
50 "	Hartford National Bank & Trust Company	2,250.00

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank	28.08
	$ 7,638.58

Income to Mansfield, Willington, Stafford and Eastford Baptist Churches.

ELIZA P. DUNHAM FUND

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank	$ 100.00

Income to Danbury Baptist Church.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SAYBROOK FUND

Stocks

110 shs.	Aetna Insurance Company	$ 3,894.02
106 "	Hartford Fire Insurance Company, capital stock	4,690.02
80 "	National Fire Insurance Company	4,182.26
200 "	Phoenix Insurance Company	11,200.00

Savings Banks

Society for Savings	193.68
	$ 24,159.93

Income to First Church of Saybrook.

MRS. JENNIE GREEN GALE FUND

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank	$ 500.00

Income to Banksville Church.

MARY A. GORDON FUND

Bonds

$3,000. Province of Quebec, 4½—1956	$ 3,390.00

Stocks

3 shs. First National Bank of New York	5,739.00
140 " Manufacturers Trust Company, cum. conv. pfd.	7,215.00
7 " Southern New England Telephone Company	994.00

Savings Banks

Mechanics Savings Bank	103.64
Society for Savings	772.90
State Savings Bank	505.70
	$ 18,720.24

MIDIAN N. GRISWOLD FUND

Stocks

349/18000 shares Certificate of Ownership, Winsted Fund—fractional certificate	$ 1.00

Savings Banks

Dime Savings Bank	2,500.00
Farmington Savings Bank	5,000.00
Hartford National Bank & Trust Company, Savings Department	1,500.00
Mechanics Savings Bank	5,364.75
Mechanics Savings Bank, Winsted, Conn.	5,000.00
Society for Savings	7,930.61
Stafford Savings Bank	8,000.00
State Savings Bank	1,547.00
Suffield Savings Bank	10,000.00
Winsted Savings Bank	10,000.00
	$ 56,843.36

Income to the First Baptist Church, Winsted.

ROSA O. HALL FUND

Bonds

$9,000. Dominion of Canada, 4s—1960	$ 9,598.91

Savings Banks

Society for Savings	385.74
CASH	15.35
	$ 10,000.00

Income for a friend.

ANN M. HILL TRUST FUND

Bonds

$2,000.	Allegheny Valley Ry 1st fully reg'd 4—1942	$ 1,917.50
3,000.	Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. Gen. Reg'd 4—1958	2,823.75

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank	8.75
	$ 4,750.00

After the death of certain beneficiaries, one-half of the income of this fund is to be paid to the Moosup Baptist Church of Moosup, and the other half to the Convention.

HOME MISSIONS EDIFICE FUND

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank	$ 440.51

Real Estate

600/85,000 interest in real estate located at 330-340 Main Street and 2 Charter Oak Avenue, Hartford, Conn. The title to said real estate stands in the name of Hartford National Bank & Trust Company, Trustee, said real estate having been acquired by said Bank as Trustee as result of a default in a mortgage which as such Trustee it formerly held on said property	600.00
	$ 1,040.51

Income accrued to fund.

JOSIAH M. HULL TRUST FUND

Bonds

$5,000.	Pacific Gas & Electric Co. 1st & Ref. "H" 3¾s—1961	$ 5,111.10
5,000.	Province of Quebec, 4¼s—1961	5,000.00

Mortgage Loans

Mortgage Participation Certificate #P14

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 100 Steele Road, West Hartford, Connecticut, in the name of Adolph Korper)	395.00

Mortgage Participation Certificate #P64

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 10 Golf Road, West Hartford, Connecticut, in the name of Richard S. Levin) 970.00

Baptist Church of Cheshire

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at Cheshire, Connecticut) 4,000.00

Julia E. Miskill

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 21-23 May Street, Hartford, Conn.) 3,100.00

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank 1,839.82

Real Estate

2500/75,000 interest in real estate located at 73-81 Mulberry Street, corner Wells Street, Hartford, Connecticut. The title to said real estate stands in the name of Hartford National Bank & Trust Company, Trustee, said real estate having been acquired by said Bank as Trustee as result of a default in a mortgage which as such Trustee it formerly held on said property 2,611.70

CASH 60.00

$ 23,087.62

Income to Cheshire Church.

HANNAH M. JOHNSON FUND

Stocks

9 shares Cons. Edison Company of New York, Inc., cum. pfd. ..... $ 965.10

CASH 29.90

$ 995.00

ORISSA A. KINNEY FUND #2

Mortgage Loans

Antoni H. Rudowski (Part Interest)

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 6-14 Charter Oak Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut) ..... $ 448.00

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank 1,684.12

$ 2,132.12

Income to Third Church, Norwich.

JAMES W. MANNING FUND

Savings Banks

Putnam Savings Bank	$ 500.00

Income to South Woodstock Church.

ANNA E. MILLER FUND

Stocks

6 shs.	Cons. Edison Company of New York, Inc., cum. pfd.	$ 643.23
5 "	First National Bank of Stonington	1.00

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank	500.00
CASH	6.77
	$ 1,150.00

Income to First North Stonington Church.

LUCY J. MILLS FUND

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank	$ 279.03

Income to Blue Hills Avenue Church, Hartford.

NORTH COLEBROOK PARSONAGE FUND

Savings Banks

State Savings Banks	$ 1,600.64

Income accrued to fund.

SAMUEL W. PARSHLEY FUND

Stocks

2 shs.	Guaranty Trust Company of New York	$ 1,214.00

Mortgage Loans

Mortgage Participation Certificate #P71

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 37-39 Acton Street, Hartford, Connecticut, in the name of Rocco Caporale and Joseph Dinardo)	2,816.00

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank	607.00
CASH	28.00
	$ 4,665.00

Income to Middletown Church.

EMELINE PECKHAM FUND

Mortgage Loans

Mortgage Participation Certificate #P4

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 40-42 Market Street, Hartford, Connecticut, in the name of Standard Paper Co. of Hartford, Inc.) ..... $ 1,760.00

Frances Zwillinger (Part Interest)

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 635-637 Wethersfield Avenue, Hartford, Conn.) 1,019.00

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank 1,337.36

CASH 12.00

$ 4,128.36

Income divided equally between the Moosup Baptist Church of Moosup and the Convention.

E. A. PHELPS FUND

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank ..... $ 500.00

ABBIE BABCOCK PHILLIPS FUND

Bonds

$3,000. U. S. A. Treasury Bonds, 2s—1948/50 ..... $ 3,142.50

Stocks

20 shs.	Cons. Edison Co. of New York, Inc., cum. pfd.	2,144.10
5 "	N.Y., N. H. & H. R.R. Company	2.50
60 "	Pacific Gas & Electric Company, cum. 1st pfd.	2,094.60
1 "	J. Rossie Velvet Company	

CASH 666.76

$ 8,050.46

Income payment of twenty-five dollars to the following: Second Baptist Church, Bridgeport; First Baptist Church of Groton; Second Baptist Church of North Stonington, and the balance to the Convention.

ABBIE BABCOCK PHILLIPS FUND #1

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank ..... $ 500.00

Income to Convention.

ABBIE BABCOCK PHILLIPS FUND #2

Savings Banks

Bridgeport People's Savings Bank	$ 500.00

Income to Union Baptist Church, Montville.

PRESTON CITY BAPTIST CHURCH FUND

Stocks

9 shs. Aetna Life Insurance Company	$ 263.25
24 " Hartford Electric Light Company	1,578.00

Savings Banks

Mechanics Savings Bank	158.75
	$ 2,000.00

Income to Preston Baptist Church.

JOHN E. PRIOR TRUST FUND

Stocks

15 shs. Manufacturers Trust Company, cum. conv. pfd.	$ 783.75

Savings Banks

Mechanics Savings Bank	216.25
	$ 1,000.00

The income paid to Moosup Baptist Church of Moosup, Connecticut.

REAL ESTATE FUND

Mortgage Loans

The Swedish Elim Baptist Church

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at Elm Street, New Britain, Conn.)	$ 1.00

Real Estate

Fairfield and Silliman Avenues, Bridgeport, Connecticut—Deeds	$ 1.00
Norwich Third Church, Greenville, Connecticut—Deed	1.00
Howard Valley, Hampton, Connecticut	1.00
Grand Avenue Church, New Haven, Connecticut—Deed	1.00
Saybrook Winthrop Church—Deed	1.00
South Norwalk Hungarian Church—Deeds	1.00
Washington and Ward Streets, Wallingford, Connecticut—Deeds	1.00
Winchester, Connecticut—Deeds	1.00
Winsted Church Property—Copy Deed	1.00

Miscellaneous

Property of Grace Baptist Church, Norwich, Connecticut—Reversionary Interest	1.00
	$ 11.00

MARY J. SELLECK FUND

Mortgage Loans

Antoni H. Rudowski—Part Interest

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 6—14 Charter Oak Avenue, Hartford, Conn.)	$ 899.00

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank	306.48
	$ 1,205.48

Income to Danbury Baptist Church.

ELLEN M. STARK FUND

Savings Banks

Travelers Bank & Trust Company	$ 532.28

Income to Convention.

SUSAN BABCOCK STEDMAN FUND

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank	$ 100.00

Income to Third North Stonington Church.

ALLIS BABCOCK STONE FUND

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank	$ 150.00

Income to Third North Stonington Church.

TARIFFVILLE CHURCH FUND

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank	$ 500.00

Income to Convention.

MR. AND MRS. THOMAS HUBBARD THRESHER FUND

Bonds

$1,000. American Tel. & Tel. Co. deb. 3¼s—1961	$ 1,008.20

Savings Banks

Mechanics Savings Bank	618.07
CASH	.60
	$ 1,626.87

Income to Stafford Church.

CHARLES A. TILLINGHAST MEMORIAL FUND

Mortgage Loans

Mortgage Participation Certificate #P71

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 37-39 Acton Street, Hartford, Connecticut, in the name of Rocco Caporale and Joseph Dinardo)	$ 1,895.00

Savings Banks

State Savings Bank	152.00
CASH	18.00
	$ 2,065.00

Income to Moosup Church, Moosup.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH, EAST KILLINGLY, FUND

Mortgage Loans

Mortgage Participation Certificate #P6

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 33-43 Asylum Street, Hartford, Connecticut, in the name of Estate of Arthur L. Foster)	$ 488.00

Mortgage Participation Certificate #P7

(Secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 136 Park Street, Hartford, Connecticut, in the name of Millstone Corporation)	534.00

Savings Banks

Brooklyn Savings Bank, Danielson, Connecticut	113.00

Real Estate

1900/225,000 interest in real estate located at 1083-1097 Main Street, Hartford, Connecticut. The Title to said real estate stands in the name of Hartford National Bank & Trust Company, Trustee, said real estate having been acquired by said Bank as Trustee as result of a default in a mortgage which as such Trustee it formerly held on said property	1,900.00
CASH	10.00
	$ 3,045.00

Income to Union Baptist Church, East Killingly.

A. E. AND H. T. WESTCOTT FUND

Bonds

$5,000. Pacific Gas & Electric Company, 1st and Ref. "H" 3¾s—1961	$ 5,182.42

Savings Banks

Mechanics Savings Bank	1,077.16
	$ 6,259.58

Income to Union Baptist Church, East Killingly.

SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT

of the

CONNECTICUT BAPTIST BOARD OF PROMOTION

For the Year Ending April 30, 1941

WM. SALE TERRELL, Director of Promotion

Personal

In submitting this, my first annual report as Director of Promotion for The Connecticut Baptist Convention, I wish to express appreciation for the faithful and efficient service of my predecessor, Rev. H. E. Hinton, who served in this office for five years. I am indebted to him also for his willingness to assist in the preparation of this report. It will be noted that the figures fall entirely within the period of his administration and, therefore, all audits carry his name as agent.

On June 17, 1941, a covenant was entered into between the Council on Finance and Promotion of The Northern Baptist Convention and The Connecticut Baptist Convention, signed by their authorized agents, Rev. Paul H. Conrad for the Council and Rev. E. E. Gates for the Connecticut Convention. The covenant, while seeking an even closer fellowship and cooperation in "the mutual interests in the extension of the Kingdom of God through the missionary activities of The Northern Baptist Convention" also places more directly upon the Convention the responsibility for the promotion of missionary interest and the gathering of funds for the unified budget. In line with the new set-up by which the Executive Secretary for The Connecticut Baptist Convention becomes also the State Director of Promotion, the By-Laws of the Convention were changed at the annual meeting in Bridgeport. The section which relates to the Committee on Promotion is, as follows: Section 8, Article 3, Duties of the Board of Managers. "Section 8. The Committee on Promotion. The Committee on Promotion, subject to the authority of the Board of Managers, shall direct the co-operative relationship of the Convention with The Council on Finance and Promotion of The Northern Baptist Convention and all work arising therefrom commonly embraced under the head of promotion, according to the terms of agreement with the Council on Finance and Promotion, rendering annually to the Convention and the Council such reports as may be required."

The remainder of this report was prepared by Mr. Hinton.

Organization

The Board continued its organization as in previous years. The only change in membership was the substitution of Mr. Edward N. Wooding of Wallingford for Mr. Loren Durner of Waterbury, whom he succeeded as President of the Connecticut Baptist Men's Council. The very serious illness of Miss Mary Howard prevented her from her usual active participation, which was very greatly regretted.

The Director

There was no change in the duties of the Director and he carried on the usual additional activities as in previous years. At the meeting of the State Convention at New London he announced his willingness to relinquish his post in order that due to the resignation of Dr. Gates as Executive Secretary, these two posts might be joined under one officer, if and when the State Convention desired so to do. The Board of Promotion accepted the Director's resignation with regret. At the meeting of the Board of Managers of the Connecticut Baptist Convention the Director announced his acceptance of the position of Central District Representative of the Ministers and Missionaries Benefit Board as of June 1st, 1941.

Budget

The Budget for the expenses of the office of the Director of Promotion was approved and provided by the Council on Finance and Promotion. The details of receipts and expenditure were approved by the Board and have been audited. The audited Financial Statement divided into General Fund and Expense Fund will be found attached at the end of this report. The Connecticut Baptist Account, duly audited, is also attached.

Meetings and Activities

The Board of Promotion has held two regular meetings during the year at Baptist Headquarters in Hartford, June 11, 1940, and November 22, 1940. The chief activity was the promotion of the Fall Conferences for Church Officers. The matter of Missionary Education was also carried on with full vigor by the: 1. distribution of literature, both free and for sale; 2. stereopticon lectures; 3. Missionary speakers; 4. Mission Study Classes; 5. Schools of Missions; and 6. by the Director himself in individual addresses and conferences and by the conducting of several series of meetings for Mission Study.

Fall Conferences for Church Officers

Three Fall Conferences for Church Officers were held in Connecticut at: 1. New Haven; 2. Hartford; and 3. Bridgeport, under the dates of November 12, 13, 14, 1940. These were very well attended, a good percentage of the churches being represented. A great deal of effort was put into their preparation and some very excellent follow-up meetings were held. Dr. Earl F. Adams, General Director of Promotion, led the discussion in each conference by the help of certain local leaders picked out beforehand.

Distribution of Literature

The Stereopticon department was closed out during the year. Besides the distribution of a great deal of free literature, a new piece of literature for sale in connection with the Four-Year Program of the Denomination was known as "Follow-On". These were sold quite widely but not as much so as was desired. The January book, NEW HORIZONS, was sold in about the usual number. In both cases the cost of the supply was covered by the receipts from the sales.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

General Fund — Collections — Connecticut Baptist Account

AUDIT

Reverend H. E. Hinton, Agent
Northern Baptist Convention,
Connecticut Baptist Board of Promotion,
Hartford, Connecticut.

Dear Sir:

We have examined the financial transactions recorded in the books, accounts and records of the Connecticut Agency of the Northern Baptist Convention with respect to the General Fund for the period May 5, 1940, to May 5, 1941, inclusive, and of the Connecticut Baptist Board of Promotion with respect to the Expense Fund for the period May 1, 1940, to April 30, 1941, inclusive.

As part of our report you will please find attached hereto statements as follows:

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These statements are in agreement with the records, which were found to be in good order.

General Fund:

In verification of cash received by the Connecticut Agency, we listed duplicate receipts which agreed in total with entries in the donation register. Total cash received by this agency, as shown by the donation register, and by duplicate receipts, was deposited intact in the Hartford National Bank and Trust Company.

The disposition of all receipts for the account of Connecticut is shown on page 4. It was noted that as of April 15, 1941, there was paid over to the Connecticut Baptist Convention for the account of the Suffield School the sum of $176.29. By computation this amount should have been $175.98. There was a corresponding under-remittance to the Northern Baptist Convention, New York. With the above exception, all other amounts paid to the Connecticut Baptist Convention for the account of the Suffield School were found to be correct as 2.09% of the undesignated receipts.

There was no balance on hand at either the beginning or end of the period, as certified to us by the depository.

Expense Fund:

This is operated as an imprest fund, being replenished monthly by the New York Board upon receipt of expense vouchers and credit memoranda. It was noted that on March 24, 1941, a refund of $30.00 was received from Noank to be credited against the travel account, which refund had not been reported to the New York Board. A summary of transactions in the account for the year ended April 30, 1941, together with a reconciliation with reported transactions follows:

Disbursements for the year, page 9		$ 6,709.27
Add:		
Prior year disbursement reported this year		.55
		$ 6,709.82
Deduct:		
Miscellaneous receipts, page 9		290.20
Net Disbursements, as reported		$ 6,419.62
Add:		
Reimbursement for period April 15 to April 30, 1940		457.81
		6,877.43
Deduct:		
Net disbursements for period April 15 to April 30, 1941, as reported, not reimbursed		314.83
Total amount reimbursed by New York		$ 6,562.60
The balance in the fund at April 30, 1941, was composed as follows:		
Cash in bank		$ 361.69
Due from New York:		
Net disbursements April 15 to April 30, 1941, as reported	$ 314.83	
Less: Receipt not reported	30.00	
		284.83
Cash surplus		*71.52*
Expense Fund (no change for the year)		$ 575.00

The balance on deposit at April 30, 1941, was verified by direct confirmation from the depository.

Disbursements were supported by canceled checks and were further supported, in most cases, by receipted vouchers.

Respectfully submitted,

WEBSTER, HORNE & BLANCHARD

Certified Public Accountants.

NORTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

H. E. HINTON, Agent

Summary of General Fund Receipts and Disposition May 5, 1940, to May 5, 1941.

Summary of Receipts:

Association:	Credits on Quota	Specifics	Total
Ashford	$ 8,013.07	$ 70.66	$ 8,083.73
Fairfield	8,555.96	662.22	9,218.18
Hartford	35,213.10	3,125.43	38,338.53
New Haven	14,114.01	1,595.85	15,709.86
New London	6,816.51	336.17	7,152.68
Stonington Union	6,287.74	1,458.60	7,746.34
State	49.00	333.00	382.00
	$ 79,049.39	$ 7,581.93	$ 86,631.32

Disposition of Receipts:

Collections received by Connecticut Agency and remitted to Northern Baptist Convention, New York	$ 77,890.82
Collections remitted direct by donors as advised by Northern Baptist Convention, New York	7,325.56
Collections paid to Connecticut Baptist Convention for account of Suffield School	1,414.94
Total	$ 86,631.32

NORTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

H. E. HINTON, Agent

Schedule of General Fund Receipts May 5, 1940, to May 5, 1941.

Ashford Association:

Brooklyn, Federated	$ 2.50	$	$ 2.50
Danielson	675.85		675.85
Eastford	14.00	4.00	18.00
East Killingly	127.05	15.28	142.33
Mansfield Depot, Dunham Memorial	15.00		15.00
Mansfield, First	47.73	6.36	54.09
Putnam, First	706.60	15.52	722.12

	Credits on Quota	Specifics	Total
Stafford	594.62	9.00	603.62
Sterling, Pleasant View	10.00		10.00
Thompson, Central	75.00		75.00
Thompson, East	25.00		25.00
Warrenville	10.00		10.00
Westford	3.00		3.00
Willimantic, Calvary	10.00		10.00
Willimantic, First	627.14		627.14
Willington, Federated	5,002.14		5,002.14
Woodstock, South	21.56	2.50	24.06
Woodstock, West	40.00		40.00
	8,007.19	52.66	8,059.85
Miscellaneous Sources	5.88	18.00	23.88
Total	$ 8,013.07	$ 70.66	$ 8,083.73

Fairfield Association:

Bridgeport, First	$ 4,020.68	$ 187.54	$ 4,208.22
Bridgeport, Hungarian	120.00	10.00	130.00
Bridgeport, Italian Mission	12.00	2.00	14.00
Bridgeport, King's Highway	75.00		75.00
Bridgeport, Messiah	10.00		10.00
Bridgeport, Second	150.02		150.02
Bridgeport, Slovak Mission	30.00		30.00
Bridgeport, Swedish First	39.78	114.06	153.84
Danbury	804.28		804.28
Danbury, New Hope	50.09	6.08	56.17
Danbury, Temple	350.00	48.20	398.20
New Milford	260.64	127.00	387.64
Norwalk, Community	456.50	43.57	500.07
Rowayton	392.30	5.00	397.30
South Norwalk, Hungarian	57.50	2.25	59.75
Stamford, First	574.56	13.09	587.65
Stamford, Union	5.00		5.00
Stepney	224.92	25.75	250.67
Stratfield	251.70		251.70
Stratford	481.22	57.68	538.90
White Hills	20.00		20.00
	8,386.19	642.22	9,028.41
Miscellaneous Sources	169.77	20.00	189.77
Total	$ 8,555.96	$ 662.22	$ 9,218.18

	Credits on Quota	Specifics	Total
Hartford Association:			
Bristol	$ 1,935.91	$ 54.90	$ 1,990.81
Bristol, Goodwin Street	10.00	19.50	29.50
Hartford, Asylum Avenue	392.00	48.61	440.61
Hartford, Blue Hills	501.00	61.32	562.32
Hartford, Central	23,633.96	383.96	24,017.92
Hartford, Italian Mission	15.00		15.00
Hartford, Memorial	802.70	48.05	850.75
Hartford, Mt. Olive	10.00		10.00
Hartford, Russian Evangelical	38.00		38.00
Hartford, Shiloh	5.00		5.00
Hartford, Swedish Bethel	48.92		48.92
Hartford, Union	12.00		12.00
New Britain, First	1,285.15	161.88	1,447.03
New Britain, Memorial	82.87	56.00	138.87
New Britain, Swedish	10.00		10.00
Plainville	76.43		76.43
Rockville, First	267.40	60.63	328.03
Rockville, Second	10.00		10.00
Suffield, Second	2,360.00	39.63	2,399.63
Suffield, Third	3.49		3.49
Torrington, Calvary	500.00	15.78	515.78
Torrington, Slovak Mission	35.00	10.90	45.90
West Hartford, First	919.76	30.60	950.36
Winsted, First	131.51		131.51
	33,086.10	991.76	34,077.86
Miscellaneous Sources	2,127.00	2,133.67	4,260.67
Total	$ 35,213.10	$ 3,125.43	$ 38,338.53

New Haven Association:			
Ansonia, First	$ 555.75	$ 125.77	$ 681.52
Ansonia, Italian Mission	14.00		14.00
Ansonia, Russian Evangelical	10.00		10.00
Branford, First	467.71	45.12	512.83
Cheshire, Hull Memorial	40.00		40.00
Clinton	95.35	5.00	100.35
Deep River	75.85	1.50	77.35
Essex, First	326.25	8.00	334.25
Meriden:			
First	2,226.31	80.00	2,306.31
Liberty Street	32.00	18.46	50.46
Italian, First	114.47	6.22	120.69

	Credits on Quota	Specifics	Total
Main Street	162.60	75.00	237.60
Park Avenue	40.00	62.99	102.99
Middletown, First	1,192.38	40.00	1,232.38
Milford	10.00		10.00
Montowese	181.08	5.00	186.08
New Haven:			
Calvary	1,762.59	224.16	1,986.75
First	1,998.41	266.10	2,264.51
Central (German)	40.00	5.00	45.00
Immanuel	22.00		22.00
Olivet	162.04	19.10	181.14
Plantsville	56.16	31.12	87.28
Saybrook, First	50.00		50.00
Shelton, First	398.62	10.00	408.62
Southington, First	750.00	59.22	809.22
Wallingford, First	643.40	6.00	649.40
Wallingford, Hungarian	50.00	34.40	84.40
Waterbury:			
First	1,843.42	300.08	2,143.50
Grace	50.00	20.00	70.00
Russian Evangelical	30.00		30.00
Second (Fed.)	239.45		239.45
Tabernacle	5.00		5.00
Zion	18.00		18.00
West Haven, First	119.17	59.61	178.78
Yalesville	125.00		125.00
	13,907.01	1,507.85	15,414.86
Miscellaneous Sources	207.00	88.00	295.00
Total	$ 14,114.01	$ 1,595.85	$ 15,709.86

New London Association:

Bozrah	$ 81.15	$ 11.00	$ 92.15
Colchester	45.25	7.00	52.25
Fitchville	100.00		100.00
Lake's Pond	25.00		25.00
Lebanon	35.60	7.22	42.82
Lyme, East	22.50	19.00	41.50
Montville Union	135.00		135.00
New London, First	1,207.80	90.25	1,298.05
New London, Huntington Street	600.06	10.00	610.06
New London, Montauk Avenue	203.37	5.00	208.37
Niantic	100.00	20.00	120.00

	Credits on Quota	Specifics	Total
Norwich, Central	2,948.13	136.44	3,084.57
Norwich, First	501.00	14.26	515.26
Norwich, Third	350.00	7.00	357.00
Waterford, First	356.65		356.65
Waterford, Second	100.00	3.00	103.00
	6,811.51	330.17	7,141.68
Miscellaneous Sources	5.00	6.00	11.00
Total	$ 6,816.51	$ 336.17	$ 7,152.68

Stonington Union Association:

Groton, First	$ 162.51	$ 13.50	$ 176.01
Groton Heights	642.40	48.91	691.31
Jewett City	668.99	23.67	692.66
Moosup	234.28	44.86	279.14
Mystic Union	780.04	50.15	830.19
Noank	3,018.95	404.30	3,423.25
North Stonington, First	175.00	34.50	209.50
North Stonington, Second	14.00	8.21	22.21
North Stonington, Third	46.00		46.00
Packerville	71.48		71.48
Poquonock Bridge	51.88		51.88
Preston City	145.30	6.00	151.30
Sterling Hill	31.85		31.85
Stonington, First	210.06		210.06
Voluntown	30.00	15.50	45.50
	6,282.74	649.60	6,932.34
Miscellaneous Sources	5.00	809.00	814.00
Total	$ 6,287.74	$ 1,458.60	$ 7,746.34

CONNECTICUT BAPTIST BOARD OF PROMOTION

H. E. HINTON, Agent

Summary of Receipts and Disbursements of the Expense Fund May 1, 1940, to April 30, 1941

BALANCE, MAY 1, 1940		$ 188.16

Receipts:

From the Northern Baptist Convention, New York, to reimburse net disbursements for the period from April 16, 1940, to and including April 15, 1941	$ 6,562.60

	Credits on Quota	Specifics	Total
Miscellaneous Receipts:			
Sales of literature	$ 218.85		
Sale of duplicator and stencils	12.15		
Refunds against disbursements	59.20		
		290.20	
Refund not reported		30.00	
			6,882.80
Total			$ 7,070.96

Disbursements:

Salary of agent	$ 3,400.00	
Salary of stenographer and bookkeeper	945.00	
Office help	5.00	
Travel (auto, etc.)	913.25	
Office	300.00	
Office equipment, printing, supplies, etc.	326.10	
Cost of bulletins	125.00	
Cost of annual	58.15	
Postage and express	189.29	
Telephone	163.91	
Auditing fee	77.50	
Board and Committee expenses	1.50	
Woman's Baptist Mission Society	200.00	
Men's account	4.57	
		6,709.27
BALANCE, APRIL 30, 1941		$ 361.69

Respectfully submitted,

CONNECTICUT BAPTIST BOARD OF PROMOTION

H. E. Hinton, Director.

THE CONNECTICUT BAPTIST
May 1, 1940, to April 30, 1941.

May 1, 1940, Balance on Hand		$ 150.94

Receipts

Connecticut Baptist Board of Promotion	$ 125.00	
Connecticut Baptist Convention	25.00	
Suffield Academy — advertisement	150.00	
Renewals and New Subscriptions (1072)	267.25	
		567.25
		$ 718.19

Disbursements

The Journal Press (11 issues)	$ 467.09	
Postage and express	32.34	
Miscellaneous (Folding, etc., $4.50; supplies, $2.09)	6.59	
Mailing List for Printer	26.00	
Charges on Bank account	3.15	
		$ 535.17
Balance, April 30, 1941		$ 183.02

We have this day audited the accounts of The Connecticut Baptist and found same to be correct.

CHAPEL S. CARTER,

CHARLES H. BIDWELL.

October 9, 1941.

REPORT OF DEPARTMENT OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Robert Raikes walking, by the light of a lantern, through the mud and destitution of Sooty Alley in 1780, marks the beginning of one of the most significant spiritual movements in history. Since those dark days, 161 years ago, millions of Christian laymen have been carrying the torch of divine light as teachers and revealers of the Christian way of life. The Sunday school has become the spiritual Advance of the Church to Discover, Reach, Teach, Win, Enlist and Train our generation against the threatened blackout of civilization. Such is the spirit of revival coming, with renewed vitality, into Christian Education in these dark days.

The Church School Advance

The second year of the Church School Advance is under way with the strong momentum of a most encouraging response from the churches cooperating in the first year. Many thrilling reports of revivals resulting from it have come from the 3,500 churches enrolled last year, representing about 80% of our church membership in The Northern Baptist Convention. In Connecticut 56 churches out of a total of 128 were enrolled and those taking it seriously have reported unusual gains. The statistical increases in attendance and church membership are significant, but do not begin to measure the greater results manifest in terms of the new spirit in the life of the churches. Teachers and officers have been more devoted and faithful, attendance has been more regular, more helpful fellowship in workers' conferences, more careful preparation and training for teaching, and more friendly visiting in homes and personal counseling of pastors and teachers with pupils and parents, are some of the values not to be measured in formal reports.

We have promoted the Church School Advance through correspondence, conferences, stereopticon lectures, speakers at Conventions, distribution of literature and personal interviews with pastors and workers. The state director has kept it before us in The Connecticut Baptist and by continuous presentation in the churches.

The Church School Advance has been paralleled in most of the evangelical bodies in America, and has met with such a general response that it is to become The United Christian Education Advance for all American Protestantism at the end of this year. Your state director was present at a meeting in Chicago where the idea was proposed and was appointed a representative from Connecticut to a three-day meeting in Pittsburgh a few months ago, called to plan for this movement to follow the completion of our two-year Church School Advance program. This will be carried forward through the facilities of the International Council of Religious Education. We are cooperating through the State Council of Churches in bringing it to the churches of Connecticut.

Children's Work and Vacation Schools

In cooperation with the Children's Work Committee of the State Council of Churches we held a state conference in New Haven for all workers with children in the church schools and vacation schools. This was one of the best conferences of this year and was planned to offer all our workers an opportunity to get acquainted with

the best resources in materials and methods in these schools. We sent helps for planning vacation school programs to the forty churches generally interested and conferred with most of them about their plans. We have also furnished the leaders of children's work in the churches with information about our teaching materials, the new lessons and plans from the Children's Division.

Week-Day Schools

As a part of the National Christian Mission held in Connecticut last fall your director organized the leadership for seminars on week-day schools in the main centers of the mission throughout the state and conducted the three-day seminar in Hartford. We secured the hearty cooperation of the public school authorities, including the officers of the state and local school boards. It was a manifestation of great interest in the necessity of finding a solution to the perplexing problem of cooperation between the church and the state in securing the essential religious values in education for the whole experience of life. Several communities have established week-day schools during the year and we have about fifteen Baptist churches cooperating in these schools. Your director is now chairman of a committee representing the churches of the state seeking to work out, with the authorities of the State University, an accepable plan for religious insruction at the University.

Adult Education

Your director is a member of the International Committee on Religious Education of Adults, the Executive Committee of United Christian Adult Movement and chairman of the Adult Committee of the State Council of Churches. In the state we have planned and sponsored a series of four conferences for young adults. We also promoted the Regional Adult Conference held in Northfield in July. Programs for young adults and young married people are coming to be a well established feature of local church work, and these clubs are discovering and bringing into the churches a new generation of vigorous and intelligent leadership for all departments.

State and Associational Workers

We have just had a day of conference planned to give our associations a new sense of mission and significance in our work with the churches. A team of three from The American Baptist Publication Society and two from the Board of Education, headed by Dr. Luther Wesley Smith, is making a tour of all the states to meet the leaders in all these areas in an effort to work out a plan of operation by which Christian Education will be more efficiently promoted throughout all the area organizations serving the churches. The Department of Missionary Education, with their field representatives and local area leaders, are cooperating in this move to make Christian Education more inclusive and complete, while conserving all the values of the missionary societies. Under the guidance of the Council on Christian Education all our educational agencies are working together to produce better programs and teaching materials, and more efficiency and harmony in our ministry of teaching. We are hoping that, out of this move across the denomination by these leaders, will come a new day for our associational organizations and their services to the churches.

Young People

The most encouraging development in a generation has come to our young people's work within the last two years. We sent three representatives to the meeting at Denison University in December, 1939, called by the Council on Christian Education of The Northern Baptist Convention. On their return they gave their report of plans for the Baptist Youth Fellowship to the young people of the state in all kinds of rallies. These gatherings registered approval of the Denison plans to merge our several youth programs and the organization of the Fellowship in national, state and associational areas. The Council on Christian Education is setting up a staff to direct the youth work of the denomination and the first National Council of Youth is called to meet in Franklin, Indiana, next December. Connecticut will have two representatives on this Council.

For many years we have observed a growing spirit of fellowship for youth inspired by the state and associational rallies and the summer assembly. Even before the Denison report our state and associational activities were headed toward more definite organization. The development of unity in our national youth agencies gave us encouragement to move forward more rapidly. Our State Council of Youth was formed at the Convention a year ago and now every association is organized for definite responsibilities in relation to the denominational program. A state rally was held in New Britain last April with speakers from our mission boards and discussions led by young people. In addition to our annual session with a banquet at the State Convention the regular associations held in September and October have featured the interests of the Youth Fellowship.

The State Youth Council assisted in making the summer assembly program, and promoting attendance. Definite projects have been planned for this year; including enlisting interest in and giving to the Emergency Fund, observance of the Jubilee Token Adventure, support of the missionary budget in the local church, and the designation of a given amount to state youth work, sharing in the planning of the summer assembly program, holding a spring rally, assisting associational organizations, support of the Church School Advance, and providing a correspondent for a youth column in The Connecticut Baptist.

The summer assembly at Storrs enrolled 161, about 30 less than last year. The spirit of the assembly, however, was the best we have had in years. The leadership was fully up to our high standard, although harder to get than usual on account of the unusual emergencies of this year. Many of the young people reported giving up good jobs to attend, and the churches were generous in sending the best of their young people for this great experience. The facilities provided for us by the Storrs Church and the State University are not surpassed by any of our summer camps, and the administrative authorities of the University are exceedingly cordial and generous in their cooperation with us. We always finish our assembly program, feeling that, if only the churches, not represented, knew just what happens to those in this conference, not one of them would fail to be represented. This year, as always, they each bear testimony to a great religious experience and return to their homes with a new sense of the meaning of worship, a finer appreciation of art in music, a new zeal for service and nobler aspirations for Christian living at its best.

We continue our support of the New England School of Methods at Ocean Park, Maine. We have urged the churches to send delegates and the state director serves on the planning committees, the trustees board and teaches in the school.

Conclusion

During this year of adjustments in the state office many extra assignments and duties have been accepted by the director of education. The account of this work does not belong in this report. This ministry has been rendered gladly as emergency service. It has been a great joy to welcome our new executive secretary and do what we could to prepare the way for him to assume his place as our leader. My association with Dr. Gates has been a privilege beyond any language to express, and our ministry together will remain a treasured memory forever. Like Paul and Timotheus to the saints, bishops and deacons at Phillippi, "I thank my God upon every rememberance of you" and "for your fellowship in the Gospel". To all who have contributed to the support of our ministry in Christian Education, thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

OSCAR P. CAMPBELL,
Director of Christian Education.

REPORT OF THE OBITUARY COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR 1941

Rev. Frank H. Divine, D.D.

Rev. Frank H. Divine, D.D., was born in Binghamton, N. Y., March 19, 1865. He died in New York City, April 1, 1941. A graduate of Colgate University he had received the B.A. and M.A. degrees from his Alma Mater, and had been honored with the degree of D.D. by Sioux Falls College. Ordained in Watervilet, N. Y. in 1894 he served as pastor there until called to be the General Secretary of the Connecticut Baptist Convention in 1902, an office he held until 1908. As General Secretary of the Convention he rendered a fine service in the raising of the Restoration fund. His success in this project led our Home Mission Society to call him to serve in the edifice department. His special talent seemed ever to be in the fields of church finance, and the last years of his ministry were spent in that field, with ever increasing success. Many churches owe their good standing financially to the campaigns he directed. He was a man of strong personality, untiring energy and fruitful service for the kingdom of God.

Rev. C. Leavens Eldredge

Rev. C. Leavens Eldredge, formerly pastor in Preston City, where he was ordained, and more recently a member of the church at Clinton, died in Jamaica Plain, Mass., April 8, 1941. He was born in Hoosick Falls, N. Y. in 1875. He held pastorates in New England and in New York State. He is survived by his wife and two daughters, Miss Marguerite Eldredge, a missionary under the American Baptist Foreign Missionary Society, at Tondo, Belgian Congo, and Mrs. Joseph Haude, New Haven. The funeral service was conducted by his pastor, Rev. George Washburn, assisted by Rev. Clarence Emery, of Bar Harbor, Maine, and his cousin, Rev. Charles F. Eldredge, of Niantic, Conn. The wife of Rev. Charles F. Eldredge died one hour after his return from the funeral of his cousin. Her funeral was held in Niantic, April 14, 1941. We sympathize with the members of the family in their bereavement.

Rev. David Winslow Lovett

Rev. David Winslow Lovett was born in Pomfret, New Hampshire, May 19, 1871, and died at his home in Bernardston, Mass., May 10, 1941. A graduate of Colgate University and Newton Theological Seminary, where he received his B.D. degree in 1902.

He was ordained in Kennebunk Village, Rumford, Maine. He held the following pastorates, Kennebunk Village, Rumford, Maine; Charleston, Mass.; Essex, Wallingford, Willimantic, and Colchester, Conn., and Bernardston, Mass. Before entering the ministry Mr. Lovett had a position with a railroad company, and brought to his ministry experiences which he gained by contact with business and working men. He was a good preacher and a splendid pastor. For many years he was a member of the Board of Managers of our State Convention, and served as chairman of the aided church committee. He is survived by his wife and two daughters.

Rev. Franklin D. Elmer

Rev. Franklin Davenport Elmer died at the Hartford Hospital on Thursday, October 2, 1941. Born in West Hartford, September 14, 1873, he had always a keen interest in the life of the city. He was a descendant of Thomas Hooker, the founder of Hartford, and traced his ancestry back to six of the original settlers in the city. After attending the West Hartford High School he was graduated from Suffield Academy. He graduated from Brown University in 1895, and received the Bachelor of Divinity degree from the University of Chicago in 1898.

He became a member of the staff of the Mount Morris Baptist Church in New York, and left there to take the Pastorate of the Winsted Baptist Church in Winsted, Conn., where he was the guiding spirit in the religious educational life, not only of his own church, but through the Sunday School exhibits he arranged. He was instrumental in revising much of the material used in our Sunday School work. He also founded one of the first ten Scout Troops in America. Ever a lover of outdoor life he served the Scout Movement in many capacities. An intimate friend of John Burroughs the naturalist, he was called on to conduct his funeral service. From Winsted he went to the First Baptist Church of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., then to the First Baptist Church of Hamilton, N. Y., the church that serves Colgate University. Nominally retired since 1930, he continued active up to the time of his death, for on his last Sunday he presided over the service at Bukwood. The Bukwood outdoor services were dear to his heart, and will ever be remembered by those privileged to share in them under his leadership. Two Memorial services were held, one at the West Hartford Baptist Church, the other on Sunday afternoon, October 5th, at Bukwood, at which over one hundred of those who had enjoyed the Bukwood Services gathered in his memory. He leaves a wife, a son, Rev. Franklin D. Elmer, Jr., of Lockport, N. Y., two daughters, Mrs. Herbert P. Koepke, of White Plains, N. Y., and Mrs. William F. Meyer, West Hartford, and five grandchildren.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EVANGELISM

The committee on evangelism recognizes its responsibility in the making of this annual report but confesses that the year records nothing unusual or spectacular. The anticipated coming of Secretary William S. Terrell, and the emphasis placed on securing a leader, experienced and possessed of the evangelistic passion, has influenced our year's work; the members thinking it best to await his aggressive leadership. However the committee has not been entirely unfaithful in its stewardship. Several new pieces of literature concerning various phases of evangelism and especially material explaining the evangelistic program of the Northern Baptist Convention have been made available for the pastors through the courtesy of Dr. Walter W. Woodbury, Director of Evangelism of the American Baptist Home Mission Society, with which our State Convention works in close cooperation.

A conference on evangelism was held at Central Baptist Church, Hartford, Monday, September 22, and was attended by a large group of the pastors. The morning session was in charge of the committee, Chairman J. J. Allen presiding, and Secretary Terrell brought an inspiring address. This was followed by a most helpful discussion. A complimentary lunch was served by the committee. Dr. Walter W. Woodbury conducted the afternoon conference and outlined the program of the Northern Baptist Convention and the Home Mission Society. Emphasis was placed on the needed revival of the Associational committees as an aggressive factor in promoting the work of evangelism among the churches. It was announced that present reports show that it requires thirty-nine members to secure one baptism per year in Connecticut.

The committee believes that this low production rate is not due to a lack of evangelistic passion or activity on the part of pastors but rather because the lay members are so slow to assume their responsibility in witnessing for Christ and too many have little enthusiasm for any kind of evangelistic effort. It is the hope of the committee that the coming year will mark a revival of interest in evangelism throughout the rank and file of our church members and result in a state wide effort within a reasonable time. The time is ripe for an advance and the aggressive leadership of our new Secretary will provide us with the stimulus needed for unity of action and the will to win.

The emphasis on evangelism given by the Church School Advance is most commendable and is bearing fruit in many churches.

The influx of thousands of defense workers and service men into our Connecticut cities presents to these communities a new problem and also offers them a great opportunity. There is every indication that our pastors are doing their utmost to bring these new-comers under the influence of the work and worship of the churches. A goodly number of Baptist leaders attended, and shared in, the recent conference sponsored by the Connecticut Council of Churches and Religious Education when a study of the part the Church must play in meeting the needs of this period of national defense effort, was made.

The reports of our churches show that during the past year 696 received by baptism, 401 by letter and 352 by experience. While the major emphasis is naturally put upon a new confession and baptism, those who are pastors know that the task of securing the transfer of letters is a genuine task in evangelism.

The committee acknowledges with appreciation the cooperation of our executive officers and the pastors throughout the state and we prayfully and hopefully look to the future with the conviction that "the best is yet to be."

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. ALLEN, Chairman.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

Your Committee on Resolutions recommends the adoption of the following resolutions:

Whereas, the Connecticut Baptist Convention has been graciously entertained during our 118th Annual Meeting by the host church; be it therefore

Resolved that we as a Convention tender our gratitude to the entertaining Church; The First Baptist Church, Bridgeport; to the pastor, the Reverend G. Melvin Prior; to the officers of the Church; to the women who have provided so bountifully; to all the lay leaders who have added to the comfort and success of our sessions.

We would also offer our appreciation of the splendid cooperation received by the delegates from interested and efficient servants of the City of Bridgeport.

To all officers and speakers who have directed our thoughts and prayers we extend our sincere Christian gratitude.

We rejoice to offer our earnest thanks to the Chairman and Committeemen whose consecrated aid and interest has provided us with a program rich and varied in Christian thought and experience.

Endorsing the Resolutions of our Northern Baptist Convention

Whereas, that since the Committee on Resolutions of the Northern Baptist Convention, which convened at Wichita, Kansas, May 20, 1941, spent considerable time working over the issues involved, and stating them with a view to having them accepted at State Conventions throughout the Northern Baptist convention, and

Whereas these Resolutions deal with matters right up to date and express the convictions of your committee, be it therefore

Resolved that this convention go on record as adopting the Resolutions as printed in the Northern Baptist Convention Annual for 1941, be it further

Resolved that we recommend to the Moderators, and all Chairmen of Standing Committees, and all other officers of our Associations throughout Connecticut, that there be a close spirit of cooperative action with the personnel of our State Office, and be it further

Resolved that prompt and appropriate action be taken by the above designated officers, on all matters pertaining to the social and spiritual welfare of our Churches as stated in the Resolutions passed by the Northern Baptist Convention in June 1941.

An Appeal to Evangelism

Whereas, one of the principal objectives of the Northern Baptist Convention this year is a call for action in the field of evangelism, therefore be it;

Resolved, that the Connecticut Baptist State Convention go on record as heartily approving and joining the program by the following action:

(1) Authorizing the appointment of a Committee by the President of our Convention in consultation with the chairman of our State Committee on Evangelism to cooperate with the Committee on Evangelism of our Convention, for the purpose of establishing and making available to all churches of the Convention, a program of united evangelistic effort for the year 1941—1942.

(2) The appointed Committee to make a report at the next annual meeting of the Convention with recommendation for action for the following year; be it further

Resolved, that this Convention, through its President and Executive Secretary, urge the cooperation of every local church in releasing pastors and laymen who may be willing to be used for such a purpose, for such periods of time as may be reasonable and without injury to the interests of that church.

Stating an Objective for Our State Convention

Whereas, never in our history have we more deeply felt, than we do today our human weakness in the presence of enormous and distracting problems and tasks, or our regret that we have failed to maintain our highest spiritual life in search for materiel gain; and

Whereas a more abundant life for our people and churches is dependent less upon legislative devices than upon recovery of spiritually socialized values; and

Whereas, as confessed followers of Jesus Christ we acknowledge and recognize the constant need of divine guidance and the profound significance of the work of The Holy Spirit in our midst, and;

Whereas, we repent of our sins and acknowledge the need of our individual and collective return as Christians to the New Testament teaching and witness, namely, "that when the day of Pentecost was fully come they were all with one accord in one place, and suddenly there came a sound from heaven . . . and it filled all the house where they were sitting," and

Whereas, at a time when we feel more deeply than ever the need of more than human wisdom in the fulfillment of our social and spiritual ideals and hopes, be it therefore,

Resolved, that this Convention recommend to its responsible officers that a mobilization of the social and spiritual forces of our State, consisting of the joint Convention of united protestantisms in Connecticut gather for confession and aspiration, and to rededicate ourselves to renewed lives of deepened moral and spiritual character, of mutual unselfishness, sympathy and service, and the earnest search for righteousness and justice among men and thus work together to further the interests of Christ's Kingdom in our great Commonwealth.

Respectfully submitted for the Committee,

Harry W. Rogge, Chairman.

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1941-1942

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Our guild year does not close until the 15th of April so the reports of this year's work are not in. However, I can say that there are at present twenty-eight guilds in the state. This is an increase of two since last September.

This year our theme, "Hands Around the World," has been a very general one so that our program has been greatly expanded.

Our hands have been joined in a fellowship of study through programs, study classes, projects and plays on the themes, "Christianity and Democracy in America," and "Christians and World Order."

Our hands have been open in giving. We gave a very substantial amount to the World Emergency Fund and have pledged generously to the Guild Love Gift. the national goal for this year being $30,000.

Our hands have been folded in worship and extended in service doing White Cross, Christian Friendliness, service and aiding in the Church program whenever called on.

Our hands have been clasped in Fellowship. We held a Guild Vesper Day December 7th at 4:30 P. M. We have planned a state rally to be held in Bristol, March 14th.

Our hands have been busy and are eager to continue their fine work.

MRS. RUSSELL E. BURGESS, Secretary.

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REPORT OF WOMAN'S BAPTIST MISSION SOCIETY OF CONNECTICUT

October 17, 1941.

The Woman's Baptist Mission Society of Connecticut feels privileged indeed that in this year of world chaos and hatred it has been allowed to share in the task of presenting the "Prince of Peace" to the peoples of the world.

We realize that just as in the bombed-out shops of Britain there appear the gallant signs "Business as usual", so our missionaries are conducting "business as usual" despite unusual delays in supplies, rates of exchange, and insufficient personnel. Our admiration goes out to them; and we seek to lighten their loads and fill their needs, as we study to strengthen our own devotion to Christianity and Democracy, so that they in their trials and moments of hardship may know that they are firmly held with ties of love to bulwarks founded on the Brotherhood of Man.

Our president, Mrs. Palmer, has worked untiringly, and her enthusiastic slogan, "Every woman serving through her church" is a challenge.

Mrs. Abel, our first vice-president, reports that $2,468 was received this year in the gift boxes, and that our goal for the coming year has been increased to $3,750. These little gift boxes have now changed their name to "Love" boxes, for it is *with love* that we give these gifts.

This year two special efforts were undertaken by the women—those of raising funds for the 70th anniversary of the Woman's American Baptist Foreign Mission Society, and for the 60th anniversary of the Baptist Missionary Training School. At our annual May meeting, the offering was divided three-fourths to the Connecticut Council of Churches for work among the migrant workers in the tobacco fields of Connecticut, and one-fourth to the Baptist Committee on World Relief.

Our second and third vice-presidents, Mrs. Ralph Hemingway and Mrs. Charles Newton, in charge of Foreign and Home Missions, respectively, have kept us in contact with our missionaries throughout the year.

Miss Eleanore MacKenzie, our Missionary Education chairman, and Mrs. William Everett, our Reading Program chairman, are helpfully guiding us in our study and reading on the themes for the year: Christianity and Democracy in America, and Christians and World Order. Mrs. Everett reports that 21 churches used the travelling library during the year. e

Interest in the magazine "Missions" and the "Book of Remembrance" has grown during the year, and Mrs. Charles Turner, our Literature chairman, attributes this in part to the literature tables at the association meetings. The Connecticut Baptist has found increased interest among the women, with Miss Edyth Braddock's page largely responsible.

Our over-worked medical missionaries overseas are more than ever depending upon our White Cross supplies, and while we were not able to fill our quota 100% this year, Mrs. Eddy has added the unfinished articles to the quotas she is sending out for the coming year. Our overland quota was entirely filled.

At the close of the year Mrs. Herbert Hinton and Mrs. Willis Umberger resigned their positions as department heads of Christian Friendliness and Christian Citizenship, respectively. Both chairmen reported that there were more Connecticut churches participating in the work of these departments during the year than heretofore. New appointments to these positions have not yet been made.

Our new World Wide Guild chairman, Mrs. Russell Burgess, is anxious to increase the number of guilds in the state—two new chapters received charters this year. This was the 25th anniversary of the W. W. G., and a silver anniversary celebration was held in Meriden.

Our other new chairman is Mrs. Esther Wason, who has taken over the department of Children's World Crusade, taking the place of Mrs. Gates who served the Crusaders for several years faithfully and intelligently.

Our Devotional committee this year has endeavored to stress the great need for deeper personal spiritual development. Mrs. Allan W. Brown, our Devotional leader, has asked that all women's societies work for a special prayer group.

We miss the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Hinton and Mr. Gates at our Board meetings, but we are happy to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Terrell to our group. Mrs. Gates has been made an honorary member of the Board, together with Mrs. Charles H. Bidwell who retired this year as Corresponding Secretary after serving for 16 years.

"Torchbearers" was the theme for the annual meeting of the Woman's Baptist Mission Society of Connecticut held in the First Baptist Church of Waterbury in May, and the splendid talks and conferences inspired us all to consecrate ourselves anew to carry Christ's "torch" wherever possible.

The high spot of our year was the 14th annual house party held this September at the Hartford Seminary Foundation, planned by Mrs. Leroy Bennett. Not only were the surroundings delightful, but the whole atmosphere was inspirational. The theme of the house party: "Love . . . never faileth" was carried out in talks, addresses, conferences, and communion service; and the influence of this theme—"Love"—seemed to be felt in the very contacts we had with each other.

We start this new year with the verse our president has given us, "A great door and effectual is opened unto me, and there are many adversaries." Mrs. Palmer asks, "Are we going to admit the great opportunities, only to add pessimistically, '*but* there are many adversaries,' or shall we, like Paul, *realize* the difficulties, yet remain *determined* to overcome them?"

DOROTHY E. UMBERGER,

Corresponding Secretary.

CONNECTICUT BAPTIST EDUCATION SOCIETY

President, Rev. Edwin T. Settle, Ph.D., West Haven

Vice-Presidents, Rev. Ivan H. Benedict, Hartford
Miss Eleanore G. MacKenzie, Southington

Secretary, Rev. Harry W. Rogge, Essex

Treasurer, Chapel S. Carter, Ansonia

Auditor, H. V. Santry, New Haven

Trustees, Rev. David A. Pitt, D.D., Norwich
Rev. John N. Lackey, D.D., Hartford
Rev. Major L. Johnson, Hartford
Rev. Burtt N. Timbie, Meriden
Mr. Phillip H. Graham

THE ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-THIRD ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CONNECTICUT BAPTIST EDUCATION SOCIETY

October 16, 1941.

The one hundred twenty-third annual meeting of the Connecticut Baptist Education Society convened at 7:50 P. M. on Thursday, October 16, 1941, in the First Baptist Church, Bridgeport. The president, Rev. Edwin T. Settle, Ph.D., called the meeting to order.

The report of the secretary was read. On motion the report was received.

The treasurer, Mr. Chapel Carter, read his report. On motion it was received.

The report of the auditor, Mr. Harry V. Santry, was read and on motion it was voted the report be adopted as received.

The report of the Nominating Committee was presented by the Reverend Major Johnson. The president called for other nominations. No other nominations were made and on motion the report was received. On motion the Reverend Major Johnson was instructed to cast one ballot for the persons nominated by the committee.

The nominees were declared unanimously elected. At this point in the program President Settle introduced Mr. Stanley Borden, who is completing his theological education at Union Seminary. Mr. Borden expressed deep appreciation of the financial aid granted him during the five years of preparation. He especially expressed

gratitude for the constant aid and interest manifested by the members of the Education Society. He stated that without the knowledge and assurance of the moral and spiritual support of the members of the Educational Society his years of preparation would have been poorer in spirit. His splendid testimony was enthusiastically received.

On motion the meeting was declared adjourned at 8:20 P. M.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY W. ROGGE, Secretary.

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE CONNECTICUT BAPTIST EDUCATION SOCIETY

A report of the activities of the Executive Committee of the Connecticut Baptist Education Society must of necessity be confined to certain statistical information. Statistics are deceivers and distortors of human experiences. We wish it were possible to convey to you the joy and satisfaction experienced by the members of your Committee at the time of receiving the young people of our churches who present themselves for the purpose of declaring their intention to prepare for full time work in the ministry of Christ. It is also a rare privilege to share the fellowship which is experienced when regular reports, and letters of appreciation, are received from our students at college and seminary. These letters are available to any person interested in the work of the Education Society.

During the convention year of 1940-41, the Connecticut Baptist Education Society granted financial aid to the amount of $90.00 to the following students:

Miss Marion V. Rawson, of our Baptist Church in Danielson, Gordon College of Theology.
Miss Elia DeFlavis, Italian Baptist in Meriden, Gordon College of Theology.
Miss Glendean Nelson, First Church in Willimantic, Baptist Institute, Philadelphia, Pa.
Miss Helen Marggaraff, First Church in Waterbury, Baptist Institute, Philadelphia, Pa.
Miss Ruth Horsman, Stafford Church, Bates College.
The Rev. Jonathan Reed, Grace Church, Waterbury, Yale Divinity School
The Rev. Frank Coleman, Shelton Baptist Church, Yale Divinity School
Mr. Mario Cestaro, First Italian Baptist Church, Yale Divinity School
Mr. Gerald Swetnam, Third Church, Norwich, Gordon College of Theology
Mr. Richard Keach, Baptist Church in Danielson, Bates College
Mr. Stanley J. Keach, Baptist Church in Danielson, Andover-Newton Seminary
Mr. Maurice O'Connell, Central Baptist, Hartford, Wm. Jewell College
Mr. Stanley P. Borden, First Church, Waterbury, Union Theological Seminary
The Rev. Bertil A. Friberg, Bethel Bible Institute, a member of the Swedish Connecticut Baptist Conference received aid to the amount of $50.

Four of the above named students, Miss Marion V. Rawson, Miss Elia DeFlaviss, the Rev. Jonathan Reed, the Rev. Bertil A. Friberg have graduated and need no further financial aid from the society. Another, Mr. Maurice O'Connell, has been called into the service of the U. S. Army.

It is significant, and a source of concern, to learn that not one new applicant appeared before the committee to seek aid or to declare intention to prepare for full time service in Christian work during the present academic year. This is almost wholly attributable to our declared National Emergency. Because of fewer students requiring financial aid the Executive Committee voted to increase from $90.00 to $100.00 per student during the convention year of 1941-42.

Respectfully submitted for the Committee,

HARRY W. ROGGE, Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT OF THE CONNECTICUT BAPTIST EDUCATION SOCIETY

October 1, 1940 to September 30, 1941

Receipts

Oct. 1, 1940. Balance on deposit in Ansonia National Bank		$ 412.75
Interest drawn from Savings Accounts	$ 120.02	
Connecticut Baptist State Convention	835.00	
Meriden First Church	50.00	
Meriden First Church (Trust Fund)	14.09	
		1,019.11
		$ 1,431.86

Disbursements

Secretary's Expense	$ 4.00	
Treasurer's Bond	6.25	
Connecticut Baptist Convention for printing Annual	10.00	
Bank Charge	.50	
Scholarships	1,220.00	
		1,240.75
Sept. 30, 1941, Balance on deposit in the Ansonia National Bank		191.11
		$ 1,431.86

Statement of Permanent Account

On deposit in fourteen Connecticut Savings Banks	$ 17,686.62
Accrued Interest	552.80
	$ 18,239.42

Respectfully submitted,

CHAPEL S. CARTER, Treasurer.

October 3rd, 1941.

Report of Auditor, Connecticut Baptist Educational Society

This is to certify that I have examined the Treasurer's accounts of the Connecticut Baptist Educational Society, have checked the Secretary's orders, the bank balances—National and Savings—and find same to be correct.

HARRY V. SANTRY, Auditor.

REPORT OF THE STATE PERMANENT COUNCIL OF THE CONNECTICUT BAPTIST CONVENTION

It would appear from the number of churches and pastors which have sought guidance as to the proper procedure for ordination this past year, that there is a growing sentiment among the Convention churches in support of the movement for a better trained ministry.

During the year a questionnaire was sent out by the chairman to the secretaries of the State Conventions of The Northern Baptist Convention asking for reactions on the following suggestions which have to do with the effort to improve our pastoral leadership.

(1) Have The Northern Baptist Convention or the Ministers' Council adopt a standard Certificate of Ordination having on it a place for the signature of the State Secretary or other accredited official, such signature to be attached only if the candidate has fulfilled the minimum educational requirements of the Convention.

(2) Have the License to Preach granted by the Association Permanent Council or in its absence by a committee composed of representatives of not less than three Association churches.

(3) Have each State Convention print in its Annual an Accredited List of pastors who have met the Convention standards.

(4) Have a gentleman's agreement among the Conventions not to ordain a man who seeks ordination in a "foreign" convention, without first consulting with his home-secretary.

About one-third of those interrogated replied; all being in rather hearty support of the "principles" involved. But there was general agreement that the problem is most difficult due to the lack of democratic co-operation on the part of some of our Convention churches.

It is of more than passing interest to note that the Hartford Baptist Association at its last Annual Meeting adopted as standard ordination practice the "Qualifications" and "Procedure" as printed in the 1940 Annual with the exception of section 4 of the "Qualifications." Also it was voted that the License to Preach should be granted by the Permanent Council which practice will give the authority much greater denominational sanction.

REPORT OF ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CONNECTICUT COUNCIL OF BAPTIST MINISTERS

The Annual Meeting of the Connecticut Council of Baptist Ministers met in the First Church, Bridgeport, October 15, 1941. The Rev. Percy A. Kilmister of Norwich presided. The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. The reports of the Secretary-Treasurer were read and approved. The Nominating Committee reported the following slate of officers for the ensuing year:

President: Rev. Albert E. Couch, Deep River

Vice-President: Rev. Marion C. Allen, Bristol

Secretary-Treasurer: Rev. Clifton D. Gray, Jr., Putnam

Representative to the Ministers' Council of the Northern Baptist Convention: Rev. Frank M. Swaffield, New Haven

The secretary was instructed to cast one vote for the nominees, and declare the slate elected.

The program of the meeting consisted of a panel discussion led by the Rev. Messrs. Gilbert, J. J. Allen, Benedict, and Rogge on "Our Convention with the State Convention." The meeting was favored by two addresses, "Christians Can Hold the World Together," by Dr. Paul G. Macy, secretary of the Friends of the World Council of Churches in North America, and "Effective Protestantism," by Dean Luther A. Weigle, president of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America.

The meeting adjourned at 5:35 P. M.

Respectfully submitted,

CLIFTON D. GRAY, Jr., Secretary.

Ministers' Conference Record 1940-1941

Ordinations: Sargis Matson, at 3rd Church, North Stonington, Nov. 21, 1940, pastor Wilson Community

Stanley Keach, at Danielson, March 13, 1941, pastor at Hudson, New Hampshire

Mearle Bennett, at Packerville Baptist Church, June 5, 1941

Valentine H. Wilson, at Southbridge, Mass., June 18, 1941, pastor at Cheshire, Conn.

Walter Morris, at Second Church, Bridgeport, Sept. 28, 1941, at Bridgeport

John Robinson, at Shiloh Church, Hartford, June, 1941 (25th)

New Pastors: J. S. Anderson, Goodwin Street, Bristol

Homer F. Carr, at Quaker Hill

Graham D. Childs (Supply), Canton

Avery A. Gates, Plainville

Ames C. Hanna (Supply), Niantic

E. Story Hildreth, Brooklyn Federated

Paul G. Schade, Liberty Street, Meriden

Milton G. Satterburg, Elim Church, New Britain

Paul E. Skokan, Czecho-Slovak Mission, Torrington

Dr. Herbert J. White, Calvary Church, Torrington

D. E. Hill, Groton, 1st

F. G. Jaynes, Jewett City

Report of the Treasurer
Connecticut Council of Baptist Ministers

Cash on Hand October 16, 1940	$ 25.36
Income from Dues, Interest, Conn. Baptist Convention, Suffield Retreat	109.89
	$ 135.25
Disbursements for Retreat Speakers, Printing, Postage	$ 96.60
Cash on Hand October 15, 1941, on deposit Citizens' National Bank, Putnam	28.65
	$ 135.25

Respectfully submitted,

CLIFTON D. GRAY, Jr., Treasurer.

MINISTERS' WIVES' ASSOCIATION

The Ministers' Wives' Association met in the parlors of the First Church, Bridgeport, on Wednesday, October 15, in connection with the State Convention. Mrs. J. Melvin Prior presided and presented Mrs. Otto P. Churchill as chairman of the program committee.

The program was featured with musical selections and talks by Mrs. Timbie and Mrs. Gaines. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the hour. Mrs. Ellis Gilbert and Mrs. Wm. Sale Terrell poured.

The officers for the ensuing year are:

President, Mrs. Ellis Gilbert, West Hartford
Vice-President, Mrs. Otto P. Churchill, Stepney
Chairman Program Committee, Mrs. H. M. Hainer, Winsted
Hostess for Next Year, Mrs. David P. Gaines, Waterbury

CONNECTICUT BAPTIST MEN'S COUNCIL

President: E. N. Wooding, 82 Ford Street, Hamden
Vice-President: Jerome Burtt, 336 Pequot Ave., New London
Secretary: Elmer Perkins, 158 Newton Street, Meriden

On May 4 a rally was held at Middletown. The theme about which a profitable discussion centered was "Be Ye Doers Of The Word".

A number of associational meetings for men were held during the year.

On November 23, a conference of leaders was held in the First Church, Middletown, to discuss with Mr. Terrell the future plans for the Men's Council.

An enthusiastic rally brought together a large company of men from a number of churches, at Willimantic on November 21. Following the oyster supper, an address was given by Mr. Terrell, on the topic: "Men Organized For Evangelism."

President Wooding attended the meeting of the state chairmen and council leaders in New York, where plans for the future of the National Council were discussed under the leadership of Mr. Boyle and Mr. Hassrick.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTE FOR THE CONNECTICUT COUNCIL OF CHURCHES AND RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Your committee attended the annual meeting of the Connecticut Council of Churches and Religious Education held in the Church of the Redeemer, West Hartford, on January 13th, 1941.

The reports read reveal that in behalf of the united Protestant forces the Council is carrying forward a constructive program to meet varied needs. The financial statement was encouraging because it pointed to a wholesome condition. Nevertheless, there is real need for a larger number of the churches to contribute to the work of the Council and it is suggested that our churches give thought to the inclusion of a contribution to the Council when making up their annual budget.

The Rev. Stanley Manning was re-elected president and one of our number, the Rev. James N. Zeigler of Norwalk was elected as a vice-president.

The following are some of the outstanding achievements of the Council for the year reported:

The Connecticut Christian Mission, the results of which cannot be computed but we know its influence was of great importance.

Three conferences were held for young married people's groups to the end that their participation in the whole life of the Church might be emphasized.

Conferences and Bulletins were provided to inform the Protestant Churches and their leaders of proposed social legislation and the need for social action in certain definite areas.

A Summer School of Religious Education for adult Church workers was held at Winnipesaukee with great success.

A program of character education and recreation for the workers on the tobacco plantations was carried out.

A major portion of time is devoted to the development of a Protestant-wide consciousness of the religious and social problems arising in our industrial communities due to the present emergency and an effort to develop resources and relationships with other organizations to meet these needs.

Innumerable services are rendered by the staff of the Council to the local churches including the sending of a team of trained leaders to various churches and communities to consult with workers and leaders in Church schools and Youth Organizations.

These are but a few ways in which this agency of a co-operative Protestantism carries on day by day, in our behalf, an indispensable ministry.

We recommend our continued financial and moral support and that all our churches be kept continually acquainted with its needs and work.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT E. COUCH, Chairman.

1941-1942

OFFICERS

Connecticut Baptist Youth Fellowship

President—Luther Pierce, Brooklyn

1st. Vice-President—Henry Harding, Starr Hill Rd., Groton

2nd. Vice-President—Malcolm Andrews, 169 Ash Street, Willimantic

Secretary-Treasurer—Carolyn DeLong, 1321 Farmington Avenue, West Hartford

Associational Council

Ashford

Luther Pierce, Brooklyn
Malcolm Andrews, Willimantic

Fairfield

Marion Clark, 37 Fremont Street, Bridgeport
Hazel Basquin, 235 Thompson Street, Stratford

Hartford

Carolyn DeLong, West Hartford

New Haven

Ann Petruzello, 9 Greenfield Street, Middletown
Roberta Gilchrist, Cheshire

New London

Eddis Turner, Niantic
Sarah Clark, 68 Phillips Street, New London

Stonington Union

Henry Harding, Groton
Allan Harding, Starr Hill Road, Groton

World Wide Guild Representative

Agnes Stone, 63 Cliff Street, Norwich

Adult Advisors

Mrs. Russell W. Burgess, Box 706, Meriden
Rev. V. H. Wilson, Cheshire
Rev. David P. Gaines, First Church, Waterbury
Rev. Wm. Sale Terrell, 455 Main Street, Hartford
Rev. Oscar P. Campbell, 455 Main Street, Hartford

Connecticut Baptist Youth Fellowship

The Connecticut Baptist Youth Fellowship became a functioning organization in close affiliation with The Connecticut Baptist Convention in 1940. During the year 1940-41 extensive activities had been carried on under the guidance of the State Fellowship officers, composing the Youth Council.

Conferences and youth rallies have been held in all of the six associations. The Youth Fellowship program is featured at the annual meetings of the associations, with addresses, conferences and fellowship dinners. The New London and Stonington Union Associations work together in the New London Youth Fellowship which holds regular monthly meetings. Similar meetings and fellowship rallies have been held in the Ashford, Hartford, New Haven and Fairfield Associations.

The State Fellowship Council held four meetings to plan and direct the activities of the state program. It has given youth more responsibility for planning and promoting much of our State Convention work, such as, the summer assembly, the annual meetings of the State Convention and special committees for raising the Convention funds. About 200 young people attended the banquet and the sessions of the World Service Day at the Convention in Bridgeport, October 18. A State Rally of Youth was held in New Britain on April 19, with an attendance of 300.

Definite cooperation with the State Convention has been in appealing to the young people's organizations in the churches to contribute to the World Emergency Fund of The Northern Baptist Convention. Plans were also launched to get our young people in the churches to further support our missionary work by observing the Jubilee Token Adventure in celebration of the 50th anniversary of the B. Y. P. U. This project seeks the enlistment of all young people's societies in support of the funds being raised in their churches for the missionary work of the denomination.

At the close of last year Howard Munson and the Misses Nellie Wong and Martha Benedict were sent to represent the state at a conference in Denison University, called by the Council on Christian Education of The Northern Baptist Convention, to organize a National Youth Council. They have been used extensively in giving reports of this conference to youth rallies and churches throughout the state. They have rendered valuable assistance in the organization of the young people in the associations and in perfecting the organization of the State Youth Fellowship.

The Youth Council has cooperated with the State Committee on Christian Education in promoting the Church School Advance. They have appointed correspondents to collect news and information about young people's work in the churches for publication in The Connecticut Baptist. Provision was made for the state to send two delegates to the First National Youth Council to be held in Franklin, Indiana, and funds secured from the State Convention for their expenses.

We are encouraged to feel that the Baptist Youth Fellowship has come to bring the young people of our churches to assume greater responsibility in the work of the denomination and serves, not only for the furtherance of our Kingdom enterprises, but is preparing them through experience to become worthy successors of our present leaders.

Respectfully submitted,

HOWARD E. MUNSON, President.

HISTORIC RECORD

The Connecticut Baptist Convention, originally styled "The General Convention of the Baptist Churches of the State of Connecticut and Vicinity", was first organized at Hartford, in October, 1823. No annual sermon was provided for until the session of 1826. For the data previous to 1864 see former minutes.

Date	Place	President	Secretary	Preacher	Text
1864	Essex	George Lovis	E. Cushman	G. M. Stone	John 21:4-6
1865	Danbury	S. Graves	E. Cushman	S. D. Phelps	1 Tim. 3:15
1866	Hartford	J. A. Bailey	E. Cushman	I. H. Gilbert	2 Cor. 9:22
1867	Mystic River	C. B. Crane	E. Cushman	R. Turnbull	Rev. 5:10
1868	New Haven	A. C. Bronson	E. Cushman	E. Lathrop	1 Peter 2:5
1869	Deep River	R. J. Adams	E. Cushman	B. S. Morse	Mark 1:40:42
1870	New Britain	A. P. Buell	J. A. Bailey	H. G. Mason	Ecc. 9:4
1871	Norwalk	James L. Howard	J. A. Bailey	G. L. Hunt	1 Tim. 4:1, 2
1872	Waterbury	James L. Howard	J. A. Bailey	A. G. Palmer	Eph. 1:18
1873	New Haven	James L. Howard	R. Turnbull	A. J. Sage	1 Cor. 13:3
1874	Putnam	James L. Howard	R. Turnbull	C. E. Smith	Prov. 4:23
1875	Hartford	James L. Howard	R. Turnbull	A. C. Hubbard	
1876	Suffield	James L. Howard	R. Turnbull	A. C. Hubbard	Zech. 4-16
1877	Norwich	A. G. Palmer	R. Turnbull	F. F. Emerson	Neh. 9:6, 17
1878	Meriden	E. Lathrop	T. A. T. Hanna	J. Davis	Matt. 16:3
1879	Danbury	A. J. Sage	T. A. T. Hanna	B. F. Bronson	1 Cor. 11:1
1880	Bridgeport	A. J. Sage	T. A. T. Hanna	J. M. Taylor	1 Cor. 1:21
1881	New London	A. J. Sage	T. A. T. Hanna	J. R. Stubbert	Jonah 3:3
1882	Ansonia	W. S. Bronson	T. A. T. Hanna	G. H. Miner	1 Cor. 1:24
1883	New Haven	W. S. Bronson	T. A. T. Hanna	M. H. Pogson	Acts 5:20
1884	Norwich	W. S. Bronson	Elizur Cook	O. C. Sargent	Luke 2:32
1885	Hartford	W. S. Bronson	Elizur Cook	J. V. Garton	Matt. 6:10
1886	Waterbury	Francis Wayland	P. S. Evans	C. W. Holman	Matt. 28:20
1887	New Britain	Francis Wayland	P. S. Evans	B. W. Lockhart	John 8:37
1888	Hartford	Francis Wayland	P. S. Evans	D. H. Taylor	1 John 4:16
1889	Putnam	Francis Wayland	P. S. Evans	P. G. Wightman	Isa. 54:2
1890	Middletown	Francis Wayland	P. S. Evans	J. R. Gow	Matt. 9:10-13
1891	New Haven	Francis Wayland	P. S. Evans	W. G. Fennell	Matt. 17-20
1892	Willimantic	Francis Wayland	P. S. Evans	J. S. James	Heb. 6:5
1893	Danbury	Francis Wayland	P. S. Evans	H. M. Thompson	Jonah 4:10
1894	Norwich	Francis Wayland	P. S. Evans	J. B. Lemon	Jonah 3:2
1895	Bridgeport	Francis Wayland	P. S. Evans	J. D. Herr, D.D.	Acts 10:44
1896	New London	Wm. A. Grippin	P. S. Evans	J. H. Mason	Rom. 13:8
1897	Hartford	Wm. A. Grippin	P. S. Evans	Wm. D. McKinney	Zech. 4:6
1898	Meriden	Wm. A. Grippin	P. S. Evans	E. M. Poteat, D.D.	Phil. 3:10, 11
1899	Waterbury	Wm. A. Grippin	P. S. Evans	Henry Clarke	John 18:6
1900	New Haven	Carnot O. Spencer	P. S. Evans	F. G. McKeever	2 Cor. 2:14
1901	New Britain	Carnot O. Spencer	P. S. Evans	F. J. Parry	Acts 1:8
1902	Hartford	Carnot O. Spencer	P. S. Evans	Geo. H. Ferris	John 9:30
1903	New Haven	Carnot O. Spencer	F. H. Divine	O. O. Fletcher	John 20:21:22
1904	Norwich	Carnot O. Spencer	F. H. Divine	R. A. Ashworth	Matt. 28-20
1905	Meriden	Carnot O. Spencer	F. H. Divine	Harold Pattison	Deut. 32:11-12
1906	So. Norwalk	H. M. Thompson	F. H. Divine	P. C. Wright	John 14:12
1907	Putnam	H. M. Thompson	F. H. Divine	J. A. Elder	2 Chron. 25:6
1908	Hartford	H. M. Thompson	A. B. Coats	G. M. Stone, D.D.	John 17:20-27
1909	Mystic	H. M. Thompson	A. B. Coats	J. W. Richardson	Heb. 13:8
1910	Bridgeport	H. M. Thompson	A. B. Coats	Geo. F. Genung	Matt. 17:19-21
1911	Waterbury	E. K. Nicholson	A. B. Coats	F. Lent, Ph.D.	Mark 5:34
1912	New Haven	E. K. Nicholson	A. B. Coats	T. E. Brown, D.D.	Matt. 1-23
1913	Meriden	E. K. Nicholson	A. B. Coats	H. J. White, D.D.	Acts 1:8
1914	Hartford	E. K. Nicholson	A. B. Coats	E. W. Husted	Matt. 28:7
1915	Middletown	Frederick Lent	A. B. Coats	B. U. Hatfield	John 21:16 & 20:21

Date	Place	President	Secretary	Preacher	Text
1916	New London	Frederick Lent	A. B. Coats	J. R. Brown	Amos 2:11, 12
1917	Suffield	J. N. Lackey	A. B. Coats	W. E. Bates	Zech. 4:6
1918	Bridgeport	J. N. Lackey	A. B. Coats		
1919	Norwich	J. N. Lackey	A. B. Coats	E. E. Gates	Rom. 1:14
1920	Waterbury	J. N. Lackey	A. B. Coats	James McGee	Matt. 17:4
1921	Danbury	J. N. Lackey	A. B. Coats	Edgar R. Hyde	Rom. 1:14-15
1922	New Britain	J. N. Lackey	A. B. Coats	Scott Farley	Rom. 1:14
1923	Hartford	J. N. Lackey	A. B. Coats	Chester H. Howe	Gal. 5:1
1924	New Haven	J. N. Lackey	E. E. Gates	Charles A. Decker	John 12:20-23
1925	Meriden	J. N. Lackey	E. E. Gates	C. S. Nightingale	John 6-53
1926	Mystic	D. A. Pitt	E. E. Gates	R. W. Ferguson	John 20:21
1927	Hartford	D. A. Pitt	E. E. Gates	Frank B. Haggard	Luke 5:11
1928	Stamford	D. A. Pitt	E. E. Gates	George R. Atha	Phil. 3:14
1929	Hartford	D. A. Pitt	E. E. Gates	Jonathan G. Osborne	John 17:3
1930	New London	B. N. Timbie	E. E. Gates	Wm.LyonsPhelps,D.D.	Eph. 3:15
1931	Bridgeport	B. N. Timbie	E. E. Gates	J. N. Lackey, D.D.	Josh. 1:6
1932	Waterbury	B. N. Timbie	E. E. Gates	D.C.Macintosh,D.D.	1 Thess. 5:21
1933	Norwich	B. N. Timbie	E. E. Gates	John M. Moore, D.D.	1 John 4:8
1934	Hartford	B. N. Timbie	E. E. Gates	Leonard F. Requa	John 6:68
1935	New Haven	B. N. Timbie	E. E. Gates		
1936	Hartford	David P. Gaines	E. E. Gates	Henry E. Hodge	John 12:32
1937	New Haven	David P. Gaines	E. E. Gates		
1938	Meriden	David P. Gaines	E. E. Gates	J. Melvin Prior	Matt. 16:24
1939	Hartford	David P. Gaines	E. E. Gates		
1940	New London	David P. Gaines	E. E. Gates	Ellis Gilbert	Isa. 42:4
1941	Bridgeport	Pavid P. Gaines	Wm. Sale Terrell	Horace B. Sloat,D.D.	Deut. 32:18

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Churches in ASHFORD Association	When Organized	Value of Church Property Free of Debt	Increase: Baptism	Increase: Letter	Increase: Otherwise	Decrease: Letter	Decrease: Deaths	Decrease: Otherwise	Gain	Loss	Church: Total Enrolled	Church: Resident Members	School: Total Enrolled	School: Average Attendance	School: Added to Church	No. Mem. Y.P.'s Socs.	No. Members Women's Socs.	Local Expenses	Paid on Building and Improvements	Contributions Missionary Quota of N. B. C.	Gifts for Other Objects Not Included in Quota of N. B. C.	Total Money Raised for all Purposes
Brooklyn, Federated	1828	$ 6,500.00	1	4	1		2		4		32	12	42	25				$ 660.74	$ 21.75	$ 7.00		$ 689.49
Danielson	1874	25,000.00	7	4			4		7		281	235	138	97		59	54	6,490.44		685.00		7,175.44
Eastford	1794	3,000.00	7	3					10		50	31	44	20	6	30	11	931.90		14.00		945.90
East Killingly	1776	5,200.00					2			2	156	105	65	*47		*34	30	1,881.01	138.42	118.05	18.50	2,155.98
Hampton, Howard Valley	1916	2,000.00	(Closed)															18.92				18.92
Mansfield, Dunham Mem'l.	1907	7,000.00				1				1	24	15					15			15.00		15.00
Mansfield, First	1809	7,000.00									51	30	26	22				773.05		30.86	7.75	811.66
Putnam, First	1847	34,000.00	6	10		4	6		6		253	144	155	76	6	15		3,772.56	3,659.02	679.90		8,111.48
Stafford	1809	13,500.00	1						1		108	*107	50	27	1	10	35	1,517.22	114.73	562.00		2,193.95
Sterling, Pleasant View	1939	*4,000.00	(No Report)																	10.00		10.00
Thompson, Central	1846	5,000.00					1			1	66	35						480.75	235.50	75.00		791.25
Thompson, East	1750	*3,000.00	(No Report)																	25.00		25.00
Warrenville	1848	9,000.00					1			1	58	46	35	20		30		905.14	303.51	10.00		1,218.65
Westford, Second	1780	2,500.00									30	24						170.00		3.00		173.00
Willimantic, Calvary	1916	*3,000.00	(No Report)																	10.00		10.00
Willimantic, First	1827	45,300.00	8	4		2	1		9		379	269	156	106	12	15	60	4,891.52		627.14		5,518.66
Willington, Federated (S. & W.)	1777	*21,000.00	4				2		2		107	79	115	76	12		*35	4,866.73		4,600.37	131.52	9,598.62
Woodstock, South (2nd)	1792	5,000.00		1		1	2			2	55	37	17	12			24	887.87	4.05	27.96	57.79	977.67
Woodstock, West (1st)	1776										9	9						325.00		40.00		365.00
Totals, Churches 19		$ 201,000.00	34	26	1	8	21		39	7	1659	1178	843	528	37	193	264	$28,572.85	$4,476.98	$7,540.28	$215.56	$40,805.67

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STATISTICS OF CHURCHES AND CHURCH SCHOOLS — FINANCIAL STATISTICS

Churches in FAIRFIELD Association	When Organized	Value of Church Property Free of Debt	Increase: Baptism	Increase: Letter	Increase: Otherwise	Decrease: Letter	Decrease: Deaths	Decrease: Otherwise	Gain	Loss	Church: Total Enrolled	Church: Resident Members	School: Total Enrolled	School: Average Attendance	Added to Church	No. Mem. Y.P.'s Socs.	No. Members Women's Socs.	Local Expenses	Paid on Building and Improvements	Contributions Missionary Quota of N. B. C.	Gifts for Other Objects Not Included in Quota of N. B. C.	Total Money Raised for all Purposes
Banksville	1853	19,690.00									15	15	15	10				$ 65.00	$ 100.00			$ 165.00
Bridgeport, Bethel	1905	*12,000.00	(No Report)																			
Bridgeport, First	1837	222,000.00	13	26	6	15	5	10	15		788	644	303	170	6	90	119	13,792.32	3,985.10	4,120.68	903.31	22,801.41
Bridgeport, King's Hwy.	1888	29,000.00				1	3	4		8	73	73	70	60			40	2,260.76		85.00	183.00	2,528.76
Bridgeport, Hungarian	1911	19,000.00	1	6	3				10		112	112	110	70		65	30	2,461.84	550.00	120.00	140.00	3,271.84
Bridgeport, Messiah	1888	*80,000.00	17	2	25	3	1	16	24		506	506	260	135	16	60	40	5,010.00	776.08	10.00		5,796.08
Bridgeport, Mt. Aerie	1925	*5,000.00	(No Report)																			
Bridgeport, Second	1874	33,000.00	4	6	4		3		11		210	210	78			16	30	2,883.57		138.06		3,021.63
Bridgeport, 1st Swed.	1882	78,800.00	3	6	1	2	2		6		282	*265	199	147		65	67	5,837.60	1,450.00	39.78	1,697.94	9,025.32
Danbury	1790	154,490.00	5	3		6	2	2		2	530	*400	139	79	4	12	30	5,172.27		1,328.89		6,501.16
Danbury, New Hope	1896	16,000.00									54	53	18	12			25	1,041.98	35.00	55.09	54.58	1,186.65
Easton	1831	(Closed)																				
Greenwich	1897	*15,000.00	(No Report)																			
New Milford	1814	7,900.00	5						5		64	53	54	38	5	25	33	1,472.43		260.64	226.38	1,959.45
Norwalk, Community	1859	63,400.00	15	14	3	15	3	77		63	364	340	140	110	9	22	24	5,517.00	1,848.88	479.62		7,845.50
Norwalk, Grace	1890	*6,600.00	(No Report)								*211	*211										
Rowayton	1859	17,500.00		1					1		78	66	35	25		30	15	2,396.66	1,414.85	392.30		4,203.81
So. Norwalk, Mt. Zion	1922	*2,500.00	(No Report)																			
Stamford	1773	233,930.00	14	4	1	4	4		11		295	151	120	100	6	40	40	5,905.91	562.00	766.37		7,234.28
Stamford, Union	1891	26,800.00	22	5	190	10	5	190	12		562	470	125	90	5	56	40	3,920.00	150.00	5.00		4,075.00
Stepney	1848	*14,000.00	21	2	1				24		86	84	110	59				1,451.07		246.52		1,697.59
Stratfield	1751	18,475.00	7	6		4	1		8		154	145	171	120	5	35	45	3,506.65	476.63	251.70		4,234.98
Stratford	1922	6,465.15	10	6	2	5	4		9		160	154	137	89	8	38	40	2,918.99	510.99	481.22	54.68	3,965.88
Stratford 1st (Afric.)	1878	*10,000.00	(No Report)																			
White Hills	1838	(Closed)																		20.00		20.00
Totals, Churches 25		$ 1,091,550.15	137	87	236	65	33	299	136	73	4544	3952	2084	1314	64	554	618	$65,614.05	$11,859.53	$8,800.87	$3,259.89	$89,534.34

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Churches in HARTFORD Association	When Organized	Value of Church Property Free of Debt	Increase: Baptism	Increase: Letter	Increase: Otherwise	Decrease: Letter	Decrease: Deaths	Decrease: Otherwise	Gain	Loss	Church: Total Enrolled	Church: Resident Members	School: Total Enrolled	School: Average Attendance	Added to Church	No. Mem. Y.P.'s Socs.	No. Members Women's Socs.	Local Expenses	Paid on Building and Improvements	Contributions Missionary Quota of N. B. C.	Gifts for Other Objects Not Included in Quota of N. B. C.	Total Money Raised for all Purposes
Bristol	1791	71,100.00	10	3	.....	10	3	5	.....	5	442	346	221	110	8	20	95	$5,651.18	$1,520.22	$1,958.81	$52.00	$9,182.21
Bristol, Goodwin St.	1910	10,800.00	3	2	.....	2	.....	.....	3	.....	74	65	98	85	1	37	30	2,864.31	645.44	17.00	669.41	4,196.16
Canton	1783	6,500.00	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	24	10	40	30	.....	.....	.....	740.00	.....	12.00	.....	752.00
Colebrook, North	1794	*4,500.00	(Closed)																			
Cornwall, East	1787	(Closed)																				
Cornwall, Hollow	1844	(Closed)																				
Hartford, Asylum Ave.	1872	79,000.00	10	17	1	6	5	.....	17	.....	508	508	145	90	5	25	105	10,812.93	.....	392.00	878.07	12,083.00
Hartford, Blue Hills	1786	49,728.27	5	2	1	2	.....	.....	6	.....	196	179	155	125	5	15	.....	3,120.00	350.00	800.00	90.00	4,360.00
Hartford, Central**	1923	750,000.00	45	26	10	25	16	15	25	.....	1996	*1597	650	353	19	186	All	37,767.49	3,090.92	26,141.00	2,848.26	69,847.67
Hartford, Hopewell	1928	20,000.00	16	2	13	.....	2	23	6	.....	455	455	125	65	10	90	40	1,435.00	1,745.00	.....	80.00	3,260.00
Hartford, Memorial	1884	106,636.00	8	2	4	9	3	.....	2	.....	379	347	183	112	6	46	All	6,947.00	2,950.00	786.35	175.05	10,858.40
Hartford, Mt. Calvary	1920	*14,500.00	(No Report)																			
Hartford, Mt. Olive	1917	(Sold)	20	5	5	2	1	2	25	.....	459	250	140	50	10	25	20	1,025.00	.....	10.00	150.00	1,185.00
Hartford, Russian	1924	6,500.00	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	6	.....	7	80	80	65	45	.....	25	30	1,035.00	1,000.00	30.00	.....	2,065.00
Hartford, Shiloh	1887	*60,400.00	(No Report)																			
Hartford, Swed. (Bethel)	1888	31,000.00	5	4	.....	.....	3	.....	6	.....	102	*95	83	*61	.....	20	45	3,504.07	.....	53.17	369.57	3,926.81
Hartford, Union	1876	133,878.00	26	.....	23	.....	5	.....	44	.....	795	525	195	135	23	75	45	5,111.66	853.36	12.00	382.48	6,359.50
New Britain, First	1808	147,070.00	11	32	.....	2	6	.....	35	.....	529	431	196	141	8	28	All	9,050.74	.....	1,341.03	378.96	10,770.73
New Britain, Memorial	1883	23,700.00	11	5	.....	.....	1	.....	15	.....	188	174	85	68	11	20	40	3,783.58	.....	82.87	566.27	4,432.72
New Britain, Swedish	1883	50,000.00	.....	1	.....	3	3	.....	.....	5	104	104	56	*50	.....	17	53	1,632.58	.....	10.00	327.14	1,969.72
Plainville	1851	25,000.00	5	1	.....	9	2	.....	.....	5	114	92	83	54	3	.....	24	1,792.27	135.28	77.32	69.44	2,074.31
Rockville, First	1882	23,000.00	4	3	.....	4	2	.....	1	.....	139	120	75	55	4	30	24	2,267.00	200.00	294.75	.....	2,761.75
Rockville, Second	1922	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	.....	20	*10	30	*15	.....	.....	.....	140.00	.....	10.00	5.00	155.00
Suffield, First	1769	(Closed)																				
Suffield, Second	1805	66,500.00	3	.....	.....	1	.....	5	.....	3	329	232	80	50	3	16	65	13,759.36	.....	2,804.48	.....	16,563.84
Suffield, Third	1905	11,000.00	8	.....	1	.....	.....	9	.....	.....	100	90	69	40	6	28	20	711.00	.....	3.49	.....	714.49
Torrington, Calvary	1896	73,400.00	10	.....	.....	3	.....	1	6	.....	226	159	133	88	5	.....	20	3,244.48	292.92	500.00	35.78	4,073.18
West Hartford, First	1858	55,900.00	6	7	4	6	1	.....	10	.....	411	370	187	112	9	30	115	10,514.23	333.10	882.00	.....	11,729.33
Winsted, First	1797	46,000.00	.....	1	2	.....	4	.....	.....	1	184	114	78	26	.....	.....	All	2,687.86	312.15	128.51	24.03	3,152.55
Totals, Churches 29		$1,866,112.27	216	113	64	85	57	57	220	26	7854	6353	3172	1960	136	733	771	$129,596.74	$13,428.39	$36,346.78	$7,101.46	$186,473.37

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Churches in NEW HAVEN Association	When Organized	Value of Church Property Free of Debt	Increase			Decrease			Gain	Loss	Church		School			No. Mem. Y. P.'s Socs.	No. Members Women's Socs.	Local Expenses	Paid on Building and Improvements	Contributions Missionary Quota of N. B. C.	Gifts for Other Objects Not Included in Quota of N. B. C.	Total Money Raised for all Purposes
			Baptism	Letter	Otherwise	Letter	Deaths	Otherwise			Total Enrolled	Resident Members	Total Enrolled	Average Attendance	Added to Church							
Ansonia, First	1874	$81,000.00	6	6		7	1		4		487	454	138	120	11	50	63	$4,460.99	$359.60	$318.45	$926.49	$6,065.53
Ansonia, Macedonia	1890	*14,500.00									*213	*200	*124	*80				*1,895.00				*1,895.00
Branford, First	1838	14,600.00	4	4		4	4				140	115	84	60	5	22	58	4,776.38		479.21	106.37	5,361.96
Cheshire, Hull Memorial	1893	14,611.70	7	5		6	2	1	3		98	33	35	22	7		15	1,702.50	50.00	125.00	50.00	1,927.50
Clinton	1797	12,100.00	10					5	5		96		125	85		30	25	3,262.81		137.35	221.62	3,621.78
Deep River	1830	91,000.00	8				1		7		159	121	162	75	3	15	60	2,000.00	600.00	75.85	1.50	2,677.35
Essex, First	1811	*18,000.00	13	5		1	1		16		147	96	64	55	10			2,515.26	550.48	327.75		3,393.49
Meriden, First	1786	59,300.00	1	6		6	10			9	643	513	235	154	1	35	125	8,704.20	2,164.32	2,422.76	564.08	13,855.36
Meriden, 1st Italian	1926	8,500.00	4	1	4				9		114	114	114	80	4	25	15	2,731.00		106.00	6.20	2,843.20
Meriden, Liberty St.	1873	28,000.00		1	2	3	2			2	121	111	50	*40			15	2,368.07	791.35	195.36	261.20	3,615.98
Meriden, Main St.	1861	70,200.00	3	1		3	3			2	158	150	95	74	2	12	25	3,538.59	143.58	187.60		3,869.77
Meriden, Park Avenue	1889	20,000.00	3	2		2		1	2		181	178	120	80		25		4,086.96	487.49	25.00	616.54	5,215.99
Middletown, First	1795	80,000.00	6	8	1	6	2		7		413	318	155	100	8	25	40	3,849.78	75.42	958.01	52.48	4,935.69
Milford, First	1895	*6,000.00									51	51	45	32				454.52		10.00		464.52
Montowese	1811	*28,400.00	6	6		2	4		6		172	123	96	75	7	40	30	1,556.66	342.40	173.09	5.00	2,077.15
Naugatuck	1817	*3,000.00	(Closed)																			
New Haven, Calvary	1871	200,000.00	13	35	1	14	13	6	16		897	897	466	180	49	210	90	16,790.00		3,216.45		20,006.45
New Haven, Central	1857	60,000.00	7	1	1	1	4	4			160	139	81	55	7	20	26	3,252.08		40.00	374.80	3,666.88
New Haven, First	1816	143,000.00	11	5	1	6	11				470	379	150	130	10	20	145	7,053.71	90.01	1,919.01	518.10	9,580.83
New Haven, Immanuel	1845	*68,800.00									*367	250	*250	*200				*5,197.98		22.00		5,219.98
New Haven, 1st Italian	1913	29,000.00		1	3				4		79	60	48	30		38	20	2,179.67	35.80			2,215.47
New Haven, Olivet	1894	31,000.00		2	1	4	5			6	324	150	70	50	4	36	70	2,207.64		162.04	19.10	2,388.78
New Haven, Lawrence St.	1882	9,100.00		4					4		52	*32	60	40		21	16	*741.84			365.00	1,106.84
Plantsville	1872	27,500.00		2			1		1		147	*104	50	35		25	23	1,496.76	100.00	78.61		1,675.37
Saybrook, First	1755	5,000.00	1						1		24	*18	35	25				543.00	800.00	50.00		1,393.00
Shelton, First	1882	44,900.00	3	3		5	2	5		6	284	177	87	54	3	20	40	1,740.70	584.71	323.14	93.08	2,741.63
Southington, First	1738	27,175.00	5	5	7	4	1		12		233	161	143	66	5		38	3,791.08	321.59	743.00	214.02	5,069.69
Wallingford, First	1817	70,650.00		3		4	3			4	323	205	99	49			All	3,778.13	58.09	643.40		4,479.62
Wallingford, Hung.	1915	10,000.00	2						2		62	56	65	55		65		1,549.00	80.00	50.00	34.40	1,713.40
Waterbury, First	1803	162,500.00	19	12		9	13		9		1072	780	350	210	19		122	15,479.33		2,182.51	811.85	18,473.69
Waterbury, Grace	1900	80,000.00	14		24		5	3	30		659	659	193	115	12			4,429.20		50.00	728.30	5,207.50
Waterbury, Russian	1920	8,000.00						5		5	81	81	50	35		33	35	706.00		30.00		736.00
Waterbury, Second (Fed.)	1892	36,550.00				3	2			5	175	175	78					2,995.00	1,000.00	240.00		4,235.00
Waterbury, Tabernacle	1892	38,000.00									49	49	12	12			12	1,228.79		5.00	127.15	1,360.94
Waterbury, Zion	1921	*30,500.00									*230	*230	*100	*49				*2,133.00		18.00		*2,151.00
West Haven, First	1920	35,000.00	5	10	1	6	1	1	8		333	298	149	99		20	25	3,559.67	5,500.00	119.17	50.41	9,229.25
Yalesville	1876	16,000.00	3	5			2		6		92	61	68	30	3		24	1,357.56		125.00	10.00	1,492.56
Totals, Churches 37		$1,681,886.70	154	133	46	96	93	31	152	39	9306	7538	4246	2651	170	787	1157	$130,112.86	$14,134.84	$15,558.76	$6,157.69	$165,964.15

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Churches in NEW LONDON Association	When Organized	Value of Church Property Free of Debt	Increase: Baptism	Increase: Letter	Increase: Otherwise	Decrease: Letter	Decrease: Deaths	Decrease: Otherwise	Gain	Loss	Church: Total Enrolled	Church: Resident Members	School: Total Enrolled	School: Average Attendance	School: Added to Church	No. Mem. Y.P.'s Socs.	No. Members Women's Socs.	Local Expenses	Paid on Building and Improvements	Contributions Missionary Quota of N. B. C.	Gifts for Other Objects Not Included in Quota of N. B. C.	Total Money Raised for All Purposes
Bozrah	1790	$11,000.00									*54	32	20	8			20	$1,046.50		$80.00	$10.00	$1,136.50
Colchester, Borough	1830	11,000.00									*32	12						680.00		45.25	7.00	732.25
Fitchville	1887	*20,000.00	2			2					53	32	*35	30	2		14	979.46		104.15	161.97	1,245.58
Lake's Pond	1842	3,000.00	8				1		7		38	35	27	19	8			187.00		25.00	168.00	380.00
Lebanon	1805	7,000.00					2			2	51	32	35	25		48	16	1,403.70		40.00	19.22	1,462.92
Lyme, East	1752	14,647.00	2				1		1		112	97	58	38		24	56	1,585.69	350.00	22.50	32.50	1,990.69
Lyme, North	1810	(Closed)																				
Montville Union	1842	19,600.00	7			2	7			2	162	111	95	65	7	32	37	2,127.47	34.73	135.00	33.57	2,330.77
New London, First	1804	98,600.00	20	10		17	7		6		827	683	365	254	15	50	*250	9,120.77		1,366.29	76.02	10,563.08
New London, Huntington St.	1849	56,800.00	10	5		1	4		10		346	*239	163	124		12	40	3,250.07	1,161.04	655.27	472.36	5,538.74
New London, Montauk Ave.	1840	(No Report)									*197	*170	*164	*92		*15	*20	*1,990.16		*203.37	*5.00	*2,198.53
New London, Shiloh	1894	(No Report)									*219	*210	*120	*65		*27	*30	*1,856.88				*1,856.88
Niantic	1843	18,000.00		1		1	6			6	164	105	109	48		27	24	1,674.89	355.64	75.00	141.12	2,246.65
Norwich, Central	1840	119,800.00	34	1		5	14		16		903	686	325	275	28	50	50	13,792.69	3,800.00	2,625.00	520.09	20,737.78
Norwich, First	1800	28,000.00	2	2	1		3		2		288	198	239	107		20	100	4,944.51	1,290.08	514.26	78.47	6,827.32
Norwich, Third	1845	13,000.00	4	3	1		2		6		124	95	75	50		30	34	1,681.41	58.95	405.30	8.00	2,153.66
Norwich Union	1937	(No Report)																				
Waterford, First	1710	30,000.00	8	1	1	5	6	5		6	300	200	145	85	7	30	49	3,621.95	1,000.00	443.26	89.84	5,155.05
Waterford, Second	1835	25,400.00	4	3		4	2		1		197	132	148	99	6	15	30	2,252.13	100.00	102.81	65.40	2,520.34
Totals, Churches 19		$475,847.00	101	26	3	37	55	5	49	16	4067	3069	2123	1384	73	380	770	$52,195.28	$8,150.44	$6,842.46	$1,888.56	$69,076.74

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STATISTICS OF CHURCHES AND CHURCH SCHOOLS — FINANCIAL STATISTICS

Churches in STONINGTON UNION Association	When Organized	Value of Church Property Free of Debt	Increase			Decrease			Gain	Loss	Church		School					Local Expenses	Paid on Building and Improvements	Contributions Missionary Quota of N. B. C.	Gifts for Other Objects Not Included in Quota of N. B. C.	Total Money Raised for all Purposes
			Baptism	Letter	Otherwise	Letter	Deaths	Otherwise			Total Enrolled	Resident Members	Total Enrolled	Average Attendance	Added to Church	No. Mem. Y. P. S. Socs.	No. Members Women's Socs.					
Clark's Falls (Laurel Glen)	1894	* $2,000.00									36	20	21	16				$500.00			$36.76	$536.76
Groton, First	1705	12,000.00					1			1	139	84	75	48			25	1,540.48	364.25	152.51	10.00	2,067.24
Groton, Heights	1843	37,900.00	9	3		2	6		4		257	191	193	128	8	35	14	3,934.30		642.40		4,576.70
Jewett City	1840	14,000.00	9		1	7	1		2		175	129	90	60	8		80	3,669.20		659.18	128.23	4,456.61
Moosup	1792	43,000.00				2	1			3	147	103	67	43			17	2,040.73		200.00		2,240.73
Mystic, Union	1765	41,000.00	5			3	6	1		5	448	324	215	130	5	25	*102	4,851.71	105.99	861.11	145.74	5,964.55
Noank	1843	50,250.00	3	6		4	3		2		390	251	190	130	3	20	55	4,110.09	1,653.12	2,618.95		8,382.16
North Stonington, First	1743	6,000.00			1	1	1			1	59	28	25	18			20	413.14		175.00	64.50	652.64
North Stonington, Second	1765	3,000.00				3	16			19	65	32	65	32			15	558.03	106.39	14.00	21.84	700.26
North Stonington, Third	1828	11,000.00	5	2		1	2		4		100	*50	77	40	5		18	1,155.93	3,287.27	25.33	30.71	4,499.24
Packerville	1828	3,000.00					1			1	49	20	28	18				640.16		71.48		711.64
Poquonock Bridge	1856	10,500.00	7	2		2	2		5		153	98	120	96	5	41	23	1,845.45	163.72	39.18	277.00	2,325.35
Preston City	1815	10,000.00	11				2		9		120	68	93	36	11	10	31	1,985.37		144.10	182.48	2,311.95
Sterling Hill	1813	3,600.00					1			1	32	25	23	14			10	507.63	76.30	31.85		615.78
Stonington, First	1775	31,000.00	5	1		1	4	2		1	145	90	59	38	4	C.E.		1,672.63		220.06	15.05	1,907.74
Voluntown	1832	*4,300.00		2					2		36	*28	60	33		C.E.		371.01		30.00	15.50	416.51
Totals, Churches 16		$382,550.00	54	16	2	23	34	19	28	32	2351	1541	1401	880	49	131	410	$29,795.86	$5,757.04	$5,885.15	$927.81	$42,365.86

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SUMMARY
STATISTICS OF CHURCHES AND CHURCH SCHOOLS — ALSO FINANCIAL STATISTICS

Association	Churches	Pastors	Value of Church Property Free of Debt	Increase			Decrease			Gain	Loss	Church		School		Added to Church	No. Members Y. P.'s Societies	No. Members Women's Societies	Local Expenses	Paid on Building and Improvements	Contributions Missionary Quota of N. B. C.	Gifts "Other Objects" not included Quota N. B. C.	Total Money Raised for All Purposes
				Baptism	Letter	Otherwise	Letter	Deaths	Otherwise			Total Enrolled	Resident Members	Total Enrolled	Average Attendance								
Ashford	19	15	$201,000.00	34	26	1	8	21	.....	39	7	1,659	1,178	843	528	37	193	264	$28,572.85	$4,476.98	$7,540.28	$215.56	$40,805.67
Fairfield	25	19	1,091,550.15	137	87	236	65	33	299	136	73	4,544	3,952	2,084	1,314	64	554	618	65,614.05	11,859.53	8,800.87	3,259.89	89,534.34
Hartford	29	23	1,866,112.27	216	113	64	85	57	57	220	26	7,854	6,353	3,172	1,960	136	733	771	129,596.74	13,428.39	36,346.78	7,101.46	186,473.37
New Haven	37	34	1,681,886.70	154	133	46	96	93	31	152	39	9,306	7,538	4,246	2,651	170	787	1,157	130,112.86	14,134.84	15,558.76	6,157.69	165,964.15
New London	19	15	382,550.00	54	16	2	23	34	19	28	32	2,351	1,541	1,401	880	49	131	410	29,795.86	5,757.04	5,885.15	927.81	42,365.86
Stonington Union	16	14	475,847.00	101	26	3	37	55	5	49	16	4,067	3,069	2,123	1,384	73	380	770	52,195.28	8,150.44	6,842.46	1,888.56	69,076.74
Totals	145	120	$5,698,946.12	696	401	352	314	293	411	624	193	29,781	23,631	13,869	8,717	529	2,778	3,990	$435,887.64	$57,807.22	$80,974.30	$19,550.97	$594,220.13

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SUMMARY FOR 1902 TO 1941

Totals by Years	Pastors	No. of Churches	CHURCHES Added by Baptism	Letter	Other Churches	Restoration	Removed by Letter	Other Churches	Exclusion	Death	Total Membership	HOME EXPENSES AND BENEVOLENCE Home Expenses	Education Society	State Convention	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Widow's Fund and Minister's Home	Woman's Home Miss'y Society	Woman's Foreign Miss'y Society	Bible and Publication Society	Other Objects	Total Benevolence	Average per Member	Total for All Objects
													Conditions for											
1902	115	144	741	478	162	23	497	568	97	32	25,161	219,426.63	911.23	4899.29	3724.42	5991.68	1021.92	3749.63	3275.18	923.75	19,456.71	44,011.29	1.74	263,920.24
1903	120	145	68	505	108	16	460	151	93	336	25,343	236,942.75	1003.17	4426.19	4420.18	6080.07	838.41	3327.60	3268.53	789.70	7,698.00	43,111.21	1.70	279,990.09
1904	120	146	900	482	184	32	499	264	51	378	25,548	232,467.41	888.96	4547.01	3794.12	6335.12	890.31	3159.31	3175.71	722.21	12,363.42	46,630.83	1.82	279,117.41
1905	120	149	1137	514	138	37	562	171	243	359	26,481	242,357.82	830.75	5256.56	4619.34	6698.09	924.12	3597.45	3369.89	761.11	19,566.20	45,282.01	1.71	293,403.90
1906	122	151	1106	496	168	31	540	226	48	417	27,109	246,463.96	1216.67	5059.43	5728.80	7276.88	1138.83	3412.91	3358.38	758.51	20,646.75	48,666.36	1.79½	294,119.00
1907	117	151	869	557	195	26	546	235	35	371	27,433	270,317.87	1091.80	9344.47	8211.04	7493.84	1051.50	3912.71	3195.28	804.44	19,693.87	65,910.36	2.40¼	336,128.23
1908	116	151	1187	524	272	41	620	280	76	358	27,962	255,179.75	1010.29	11535.47	8,382.31	8897.93	1048.70	3567.57	3234.19	742.52	34,496.83	70,951.81	2.57	326,095.50
1909	124	152	780	425	224	19	847	492	31	376	27,229	256,239.47	862.72	5471.31	9804.47	11713.91	1269.74	3382.65	3511.44	1256.80	24,399.39	61,662.43	2.26½	307,901.90
1910	115	152	711	392	156	35	571	524	39	391	26,902	261,546.51	580.12	6220.10	9828.46	10797.09	1083.23	3467.06	3290.70	1225.97	18,684.65	55,501.39	2.07+	330,854.25
1911	119	153	719	412	190	21	501	519	42	429	26,462	259,330.00	886.79	6896.99	10543.08	11496.16	1188.60	3651.44	3586.77	1178.62	22,444.34	61,872.79	2.34+	335,435.06
1912	115	153	722	420	141	59	512	613	44	377	25,849	272,525.36	1147.18	7319.94	6742.10	9549.70	3683.96	4164.59	4221.73	1184.10	21,710.12	65,915.82	2.94—	338,441.18
1913	123	153	825	671	631	20	496	273	106	373	26,718	280,440.18	899.71	6907.69	7321.16	8957.27	1751.21	3555.45	3572.30	1321.95	25,909.69	58,196.03	2.18—	338,636.81
1914	118	154	847	443	141	20	531	267	43	392	26,286	256,808.79	848.16	6915.77	7178.28	9039.28	1992.83	2662.92	3905.37	1350.23	15,070.53	62,553.21	2.34—	336,664.64
1915	117	154	906	407	128	30	461	389	96	365	26,483	281,734.86	853.56	7336.66	6448.18	8321.95	1920.70	4233.61	4698.44	1345.81	16,575.01	67,342.89	2.54	364,683.99
1916	120	154	787	536	137	63	476	286	82	402	26,872	237,769.22	1111.47	8368.43	7024.14	9737.60	2155.62	4370.32	4773.79	1288.88	14,123.92	66,137.07	2.46+	339,581.25
1917	119	155	972	585	321	63	506	214	26	430	27,635	265,462.23	1507.65	8492.63	8522.18	10828.55	2071.79	5227.79	5376.64	1234.94	27,539.75	78,362.46	2.83	358,636.45
1918	119	152	828	457	255	40	457	201	172	378	27,381	286,782.47	1315.50	8227.87	9636.05	12321.95	2645.29	5595.72	5230.97	1410.53	27,447.14	89,561.76	3.27	376,344.23
1919	116	153	689	416	281	33	426	295	24	472	26,813	323,732.85	1963.57	9806.01	12875.11	16015.77	3260.05	5035.33	4627.49	1917.14	37,233.13	109,314.98	4.07—	433,047.83
1920	110	156	965	501	313	32	551	310	281	366	27,282	439,588.47	2314.16	10039.57	16877.40	30447.21	5012.87	N.W. Movem't		2314.66	68,188.66	134,790.97	5.00—	564,339.87
1921	119	156	1242	534	383	48	669	346	32	380	28,244	451,262.73	278.57	1355.59	2419.41	2888.56	221.56	225,786.77		475.03	37,898.08	271,323.57	9.60+	722,586.30
1922	122	154	911	497	233	31	593	257	155	376	29,539	503,437.90	132.54	359.37	3792.42	3597.68	642.18	198,754.14		265.57	24,999.30	232,549.20	7.87	735,987.10
1923	115	152	774	390	261	52	492	270	9	369	28,448	443,978.09	269.11	262.02	1649.88	1050.37	595.90	207,890.33		55.05	25,494.26	237,266.92	8.30	681,245.50
1924	130	154	1070	546	489	31	586	515	90	382	28,128	491,708.79	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	215,149.69			26,616.49	241,766.18	8.50+	733,474.01
1925	126	154	859	401	340	50	496	211	37	377	28,422	480,436.18						168,779.53			18,839.12	187,618.65	6.59+	668,934.78
1926	124	155	830	475	384	34	571	441	35	392	27,390	503,356.84						153,239.50			30,437.41	183,676.91	6.70+	687,033.75
1927	123	154	1025	537	279	48	463	399	19	380	27,840	533,028.99						151,420.63			22,683.25	174,103.88	6.02+	707,132.87
1928	124	154	815	491	331	....	399	365	.....	343	28,044	775,654.79		Board of Missionary Co-operation				155,571.94			24,448.28	180,020.22	6.41+	955,675.01
1929	125	155	984	493	318	....	389	258	.....	368	28,622	641,381.69						158,039.53			34,656.08	192,695.61	6.73+	834,077.30
1930	122	156	847	423	277	....	370	239	.....	322	29,450	665,994.72		(See Audited Report of				145,693.33			33,540.24	179,233.57	6.07+	845,228.29
1931	116	156	889	354	295	....	331	409	.....	322	29,134	603,813.35		Collector for Receipts for N. B. C.)				143,431.87			25,111.98	168,543.85	5.82	772,357.20
1932	125	154	870	315	268	....	348	395	.....	380	29,555	552,555.74						138,758.82			20,442.77	159,201.59	5.38+	711,757.33
1933	127	154	970	417	259	....	333	589	.....	373	29,599	508,996.07						117,534.99			18,843.58	136,378.57	4.60+	645,374.64
1934	123	153	824	321	211	....	344	243	.....	360	30,328	439,638.69						98,186.96			15,015.31	113,202.27	3.73+	552,840.96
1935	118	153	691	357	154	....	333	205	.....	367	29,922	447,820.82						90,207.76			15,687.03	105,894.79	3.53+	553,715.61
1936	118	149	727	361	213	....	329	353	.....	347	29,626	436,637.63		Paid on				87,765.55			16,386.37	104,151.92	3.51+	540,789.55
1937	118	148	652	345	345	....	426	268	.....	332	28,926	494,708.26		Building and				91,607.62			18,121.95	109,729.57	3.77—	604,437.83
1938	116	148	889	386	269	....	339	377	.....	369	29,119	468,036.29		Improvements				86,198.05			22,742.60	108,940.65	3.74—	576,976.94
1939	113	146	643	329	181	....	342	487	.....	362	29,427	403,563.26		$77,562.73				86,208.51			19,058.01	104,266.52	3.54+	586,392.51
1940	118	146	783	314	238	....	312	366	.....	290	30,216	422,668.95		$56,688.47				82,269.52			16,821.58	99,091.10	3.27+	578,448.52
1941	120	145	696	401	352	....	314	411	.....	293	29,781	435,887.64		$57,807.22				80,974.30			19,550.97	100,525.27	3.60+	594,220.13

REGISTRY OF CHURCHES, PASTORS, CLERKS, S. S. SUPTS. & Y. P.'s PRESIDENTS
ASHFORD ASSOCIATION

Church	Pastor and Date of Settlement	Clerk	Sunday School Superintendent	Young People's President
Brooklyn, Fed. Christ	E. Story Hildreth 1940 Brooklyn	Abigail L. Witter R. D. 1, Willimantic	(Pastor)	(None)
Danielson, 1st	Richard J. Hanson 1936 30 Broad St.	Clarence Chandler 14 Spring St.	Amasa D. Pierce Brooklyn	Luther Pierce Brooklyn
Eastford (North Ashford)	L. Herman Hanson 1931 East Putnam	Mrs. Millicent Moran R. D., Southbridge, Mass.	(Pastor)	Linus Buell Eastford
East Killingly, Union	Kenneth M. Cooper 1933 East Killingly	Ada I. Shippee East Killingly	Henry E. Hill East Killingly	Harry Hammond East Killingly
Howard Valley, Hampton	(Closed)	John C. Osborn Hampton		
Mansfield Depot Dunham Memorial	Geo. C. Chappell (Sup.) Mansfield Center	Helen I. Bowers Mansfield Depot	(None)	(None)
Mansfield, First	Donald Rhoades 1942 Mansfield Center	Mrs. Vera Hawkins Storrs	W. P. Wildes Star Route, Willimantic	(None)
Putnam, First	Clifton D. Gray, Jr. 27 Pleasant St. 1939	Clarence E. Pierce R. D., Putnam	Warren S. Ames Farrows St.	Elliot Johnson 29½ Mechanics St.
Stafford	Arthur J. Dorr 1939 Stafford	Mrs. Milo Pecott Stafford	Mrs. Myrtle Chism Stafford Springs	Howard Horsman Stafford
Pleasant View (Sterling)	*Richard J. Hanson (Sup.) 30 Broad St., Danielson	*Leonhardt B. Richmond Oneco, Conn.	*C. Stanton Gallup Plainfield, Conn.	
Thompson, Central	Lawrence Howard 1939 Thompson	W. B. Ballard R. D. 1, Putnam	R. A. Dunning Thompson	
Thompson, East		*Louise Bayer R. D. 4, Putnam		
Warrenville	Geo. C. Chappell 1933 Mansfield Center	Z. B. Bicknell R. D. 3, Stafford Springs	(Clerk)	Amy Elson R.D. 2, Mansfield Center
Westford, Second (Ashford)	Henry A. Coolidge 1927 South Killingly	Fred C. Chism Woodstock Valley	(None)	(None)
Willimantic, Calvary	S. E. Ellison 1940 59 Kent Ave., Suffield	*Mrs. R. L. Jones 928 Main St.	*P. S. Harris 122 Chestnut Street	
Willimantic, First	Harley R. Nelson 1935 153 Church Street	Paul E. Stiles 113 Windham Rd.	Harold Nichols South Windham	Malcolm Andrews 159 Ash St.
Willington, Fed. (South & West)	Horace B. Sloat, D. D. South Willington	Caroline Mirtl West Willington	Louis Service (South) South Willington Mrs. Hazel Sundt West Willington	
Woodstock, South	H. Douglas Pierce (Sup.) 33 East Main St. Webster, Mass.	Nellie T. Burleson South Woodstock	Nellie M. Lowe South Woodstock	William Bromley Pomfret
Woodstock, West	Henry D. Baker 1913 East Woodstock	Byron W. Bates R. D. 2, Putnam	(None)	(None)

Totals — Churches, 19; Pastors, 15.

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FAIRFIELD ASSOCIATION

Church	Pastor and Date of Settlement	Clerk	Sunday School Superintendent	Young People's President
Banksville	Rev. Edgar M. Brown Box 329, Greenwich	Mrs. R. Betts Banksville, Greenwich	(Pastor)	(None)
Bridgeport, Bethel	(No Report)			
Bridgeport, First	Rev. J. Melvin Prior 1936 First Baptist Church	Edwin F. Poland 1875 Park Avenue	Homer Clark 37 Fremont Street	Geo. S. MacBride 274 High St., Fairfield
Bridgeport, King's Hwy.	Albert R. Hahn 1938 c/o 1235 Central Ave.	Mrs. R. J. Dittrich 1235 Central Ave.	(Pastor)	(None)
Bridgeport, 1st Hungarian	Arthur Stumpf 1931 14 Silliman Ave.	Arthur Stumpf, Jr. 14 Silliman Ave.	(Pastor)	A. Molnar 121 Brookbridge St. Fairfield
Bridgeport, Messiah	F. W. Jacobs, D.D. 1932 26 Buckingham Place	T. E. Sinclair 99 Beardsley Street	Mrs. Gertrude Johnson 1221 Howard Ave.	Marie Clark 77 Fulton St.
Bridgeport, Mt. Aerie	*James D. Wilson 1922 84 Wallace Street			
Bridgeport, Second	Wm. Wallace Sullivan 330 Maple St. 1935	Alice Kenworthy 1197 Noble Avenue	Frank R. Kennell 1566 North Ave.	*Stanton Perham, Jr. 63 Boston Ter.
Bridgeport, 1st Swed.	W. G. Backlund 1934 31 Melville Avenue	Gilbert O. V. Johnson 77 Cherry St., Milford	Jacob Nelson 1840 Park Avenue	Carleton Soderholm Davidson St.
Danbury	Richard G. Stacy 1936 2 Terrace Place	Mrs. Howard R. Evans Middle River Rd.	Howard R. Evans Middle River Rd.	Frances Knapp Mountainville Ave.
Danbury, New Hope	J. Edward Harris 1917 155 Main St. Norwalk	Mrs. Mildred Jackson 5 Linden Pl., Danbury	Mrs. Laura Holt 10 E. Pearl St. Danbury	
Easton	(Closed)	*S. T. Bibbins R. D. 1, Bridgeport		
Greenwich		*Mrs. Lola Fisher 56 LeGrand Avenue	*Edward Blue 103 Hamilton Avenue	

FAIRFIELD ASSOCIATION (Continued)

Church	Pastor and Date of Settlement		Clerk	Sunday School Superintendent	Young People's President
New Milford (Northville)	R. Daniel Trick Star Route, New Milford	1928	Mrs. Albert H. Baldwin New Milford	Albert H. Baldwin New Milford	Edwin Smith Star Route, New Milford
Norwalk, Community	James N. Zeigler 57 Flax Hill Road South Norwalk	1930	Thomas Hyde 9 Betts Place Norwalk	(Pastor)	George Wright 1 Harvey St. East Norwalk
Norwalk, Grace	*J. R. Cooper 22 Butler St., Norwalk	1931	*Mrs. Delia Munro 23 Day Street South Norwalk	*Rev. W. C. Street 23 Elizabeth Street Norwalk	*Mrs. Mary A. Clements 8 Tall Street, Norwalk
Rowayton	A. King Boutwell Rowayton	1939	Mayla C. Scofield 11 Highland Ave. South Norwalk	(Pastor)	Robert Pettus Rowayton
South Norwalk, Mt. Zion	*R. B. Harris 33 Franklin St.	1925			
Stamford			Edith M. Williams 65 North Street	Ralph Mount 18 First St.	Clarence Hoyt 871 Hope St.
Stamford, Union	W. Lee Baxter 38 Adams Avenue	1940	Edward B. Jones 71 Woodside Street	Mrs. Hettie Ancrom 33 Rose Park Ave.	Sarah Doswell 14 Green St.
Stepney	Otto P. Churchill Stepney Depot	1932	C. F. Nichols Stepney Depot	Beulah Beck Stepney Depot	Beulah Beck Stepney Depot
Stratfield	Melville G. Hatcher 1009 Stratfield Rd. Bridgeport	1938	Mrs. Edward Hill 57 Knapps Place Fairfield	Mrs. Herbert Strout 1216 Iranistan Ave. Bridgeport	Wm. Whitman 1197 Morman St. Bridgeport
Stratford	Kenneth L. Maxwell 1298 Broadbridge Ave.	1939	Miss Alice Haley 126 Floral Way	O. S. Solomonson 415 Woodstock Ave.	Robert Blees 315 Park St.
Stratford First, African			*Mrs. Susie Dina 267 Willard St., Bridgeport	*Mrs. Annie Wilson 244 Beardsley St. Bridgeport	
White Hills	(Closed)				

Totals — Churches, 25; Pastors, 19.

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HARTFORD ASSOCIATION

Church	Pastor and Date of Settlement	Clerk	Sunday School Superintendent	Young People's President
Bristol	Marion C. Allen 1940 62 Woodland St.	Mrs. Sarah A. Hull 21 North Street	H. E. Dow Mathews Street	Wm. T. Wood 174 Divinity St.
Bristol, Goodwin Street	John S. Anderson 1940 177 Goodwin St.	Margaret Eckstrom 35 Gridley St.	Mrs. E. T. Hanson 38 Mills Street	J. Edw. Dahlborg 177 Goodwin St.
Canton	Graham Childs 1941 Hartford Seminary	Robert Lane Canton	Mrs. Wm. Adams Canton	
Colebrook, North	(Closed)	*Charles Thomson Colebrook Center		
Cornwall, East	(Closed)	*Warren A. Welch Litchfield		
Cornwall, Hollow	(Closed)	*E. H. Ocain Falls Village		
Hartford, Asylum Ave.	F. B. Haggard, D.D. 1920 31 Linwold Drive West Hartford	J. A. McKeown, Jr. 82 Seymour Ave. West Hartford	M. A. Rosier 53 Onlook Road Wethersfield	Ernest Screen Phoenix State Bank Hartford
Hartford, Blue Hills	Ivan H. Benedict 1923 515 Blue Hills Ave.	Wallace F. Goss 278 Palm Street	(Pastor)	Jean McCarthy 231 Palm St.
Hartford, Central	John Newton Lackey, D.D. 457 Main St. 1912	Lyman A. Hodgman 56 Atwood St.	Harold MacKeen 60 Tobey Ave. Windsor	Roger Newhall 315 Pearl St.
Hartford, Hopewell		Mrs. E. L. Hicks 179 Wooster Street	Henry Brown 179 Bellevue St.	Gertrude Montgomery 39 Mahl Ave.
Hartford, Memorial	Major L. Johnson 1936 592 Broadview Terrace	A. Isabel Rydquest 1181 Boulevard, West Hartford	William T. Lepper 932 Ridge Road Wethersfield	Marion Russell 187 New Britain Ave.
Hartford, Mt. Calvary	*F. D. Oates 1917 172 Bellevue St.	*William Harris Wilson, Conn.	*John L. Finney, Jr. 25 Blake Street	
Hartford, Mt. Olive	Goode S. Clark 1917 5 Bellevue Square	Mrs. Daisy T. Daniels 220 Bellevue Street	Riley Johnson 37 Liberty St.	Morris Fedrick 271 Bellevue St.
Hartford, Russian Evangelical	John Daviduk 1924 127 Mather Street	S. A. Albamsky 127 Mather St.	Mrs. Norma Burgess 159 North Whitney St.	Frank Volga 127 Mather Street

HARTFORD ASSOCIATION (Continued)

Church	Pastor and Date of Settlement	Clerk	Sunday School Superintendent	Young People's President
Hartford, Shiloh	*Robert A. Moody 1929 7 Pliny Street	*W. J. Strong 155 Barbour Street	*Ellsworth E. Tanner 11 Elliott Pl.	*Alice Branch 44 Sanford Street
Hartford, Swedish (Bethel)	Ernest A. Olson 1935 74 Allendale Road	Lillian A. Duberg 16 Owen St.	N. Martin Valerius 94 Maple Hill Ave. Newington	Jane Gorenson 646 Main Street Newington
Hartford, Union	J. C. Jackson, D.D. 1922 44 Pliny Street	William S. Jones 22 Pliny St.	Dawson A. Shaw 52 Harrison St.	*Shirley Hickman 35 Mahl Avenue
New Britain, First	Heyward M. Foreman 55 Grove Hill 1939	Norman B. Wild (Acting) 120 Winthrop St.	James L. Woodward 29 South Burritt St.	Herbert E. Coates 69 Walnut St.
New Britain, Memorial	G. E. Friedenberg 1938 12 Rockwell Avenue	Bertha H. Kiesewetter 82 Vine St.	John G. Luebeck 264 Corbin Ave.	Virginia Luebeck 264 Corbin Ave.
New Britain, Elim	Milton Satterberg 1941 236 Winthrop St.	Esther L. Olson 165 Cherry Street	Paul Thoren 26 Carlson Street	Robert Larson 20 Howard St.
Plainville	A. Avery Gates 1941 48 Park St.	Mrs. Irving T. Tyler 49 Park Street	Merle Goucher 24 Broad St.	Merle Goucher 24 Broad St.
Rockville, 1st		Reginald W. Kent 29 Orchard Street	Mrs. Herbert Little 7 Oak Street	Walter Schmeiske Village Street
Rockville, 2nd (African)	C. P. Powell 49 Spring St., Norwich	*Carolyn Wright 12 Park Place	*Mrs. M. Johnson Pinney St., Ellington	
Suffield, First	(Closed)	*Mrs. E. G. Hastings Suffield		
Suffield, Second	E. Scott Farley, D. D. Suffield 1919	Mrs. C. H. Prior Suffield	George L. Creelman Suffield	J. Edward Dunn, Jr. Suffield
Suffield, Third	E. D. Caffee, Jr. 1936 29 Kent Avenue	Isabel Edmonds Kent Ave.	Mrs. Anna Harris 65 Kent Avenue	Doris Morgan South St.
Torrington, Calvary	Herbert J. White, D.D. 64 Barber St. 1941	W. E. Bennett P. O. Box 103	Raymond B. Bennett 63 Benham Street	
West Hartford, First	Ellis Gilbert 1926 90 No. Main St.	Ethel J. Beaumier 21 Glenbrook Rd.	Mrs. W. E. DeLong 1321 Farmington Ave.	Caroline DeLong 1321 Farmington Ave.
Winsted, First	Herbert M. Hainer 1938 56 Wheeler St.	Mrs. Alice P. Fenn 59 Wheeler Street	C. D. Caso 233 Oak Street	

Totals — Churches, 29; Pastors, 23.

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NEW HAVEN ASSOCIATION

Church	Pastor and Date of Settlement		Clerk	Sunday School Superintendent	Young People's President
Ansonia, First	Robert L. Weaver 23 Mott Street	1941	Norman H. Smith 144 Platt Street	Wm. Edwards 20 Dwight Street	Harold Tingley, Jr. Ford Street
Ansonia, Macedonia	*Julian A. Taylor 12 Locke St.	1938	*Wm. Edw. Barnett 45 Murray Street	*Mrs. Sally Antrim 14 Beaver St.	*Leroy Branch 119 Division Street
Branford, First	Alfred W. Jones 105 Rogers Street	1934	Mrs. B. M. Lounsbury 28 Bradley Ave.	Ellsworth Harrison Queach Rd.	Harrison C. Taconis W. Main Street
Cheshire, Hull Memorial	Valentine H. Wilson Cheshire	1939	Mrs. Herbert Gilchrest West Cheshire	Roberta Gilchrest West Cheshire	Roberta Gilchrest West Cheshire
Clinton	George W. Washburn Clinton	1939	Einar Nyborg Madison, Conn.	Mrs. Geo. W. Washburn Clinton	Marvin Lord Guilford, Conn.
Deep River	Albert E. Couch Deep River	1937	James A. Kane Deep River	Fred L. Fleetham Deep River	Allan Hammond Deep River
Essex, First	Harry W. Rogge Prospect St.	1937	Helen Henry 21 Pratt Street	Mrs. Chas. Sadler King's Lane	
Meriden, First	Burtt N. Timbie 437 Broad Street	1912	Geo. P. Barker 163 Elm Street	Edwin Maynes 23 Carpenter Avenue	Sherman Perkins 158 Newton St.
Meriden, 1st Italian	Luigi Turco 377 Curtis St.	1938	Armando Cantarini 126 Springdale Ave.	Marjorie DiPersio 35 Lambert St.	Raymond Zavaglio Botsford Street
Meriden, Liberty Street	Paul G. Schade 54 Liberty St.	1941	Lydia Stockburger 31 Benjamin Street	Wilbur Kamens 142 Cottage Street	
Meriden, Park Avenue	H. R. Peterson 18 Park Avenue	1932	Mrs. Clarence Coe 15 Hinman St.	George Lundquist 48 Clinton Street	Warren Curtiss 388 Wall St.
Meriden, Main Street	Wm. V. Allen 22 Crown St.	1939	Esther E. Fowler 48 Linsley Ave.	Ernest Godwin Hanover St.	Arline Cunneen Wall Street
Middletown, First	Lester T. Mallery 4 Crescent Street	1930	Herbert Birdsey Ballfall Road	F. Leon Hannaford 41 Brainerd Avenue	Anna Petruzzello 9 Greenfield Ave.

NEW HAVEN ASSOCIATION (Continued)

Church	Pastor and Date of Settlement	Clerk	Sunday School Superintendent	Young People's President
Milford, First	*Wyatt C. Minton 1937 32 North Street	John Connolly Meadow St.	*R. L. Richards Milford School	
Montowese (North Haven)	Leonard A. Duce 1939 North Haven	Norma J. Robinson North Haven	*Leon Brocket North Haven	Stanley Bristol Clintonville, Conn.
Naugatuck	(Closed)	Emily Killer 49 Hillcrest Ave., Naugatuck		
New Haven, Calvary	Frank M. Swaffield, D.D. 1937 165 York St.	Gilbert W. Wood 393 Central Ave.	Thos. F. Richardson 25 Marvel Rd.	James Defoe Yale Divinity School
New Haven, Central	Julius Kaaz 1917 12 Broad Street	Mrs. Eleanore Gaynor 499 Orchard Street	Ammil Dill 630 Washington Ave. West Haven	Thomas Adamson 202 Bellevue Ave. West Haven
New Haven, First	John H. McLean, D.D. 1935 195 Livingston St.	Raymond L. Pierce 32 Lilac St., Hamden	Victor Reid 31 Hobart Street	George Martin c/o 195 Livingston St.
New Haven, Immanuel	John B. Pharr, D.D. 1918 1320 Chapel St.	*Winfield S. Taylor 155 Scranton Street	*C. S. Gardin 105 Bristol Street	*Dorothy Birt 29 Winter Street
New Haven, 1st Italian	J. E. Parrella 1925 324 Grand Avenue	Louis Divilio 258 Franklin St.	Dante Cestaro 42 Wolcott St.	Marie Appaio 120 James St.
New Haven, Olivet	J. Gordon Trick 1939 435 Dixwell Ave.	Mrs. Albert Dingle 48 Lilac Street	Jas. MacFarlane 90 Dorman St.	Doris Heywood 250 W. Hazel St.
New Haven, Lawrence St.	Gotthard Hagstrom 1938 Norway Rd., No. Haven	Winston A. Westlie 29 Lynmot Rd. Hamden	Winston A. Westlie 29 Lynmot Rd. Hamden	Larry Wasson 84 Park Ave., Hamden
Plantsville	J. G. Osborne 1934 Plantsville	George R. Bond Plantsville	Anthony A. Boyce Hillside Ave.	Robert Peterson W. Main St.
Saybrook, First	Albert E. Couch (Sup.) Deep River	Mrs. Albertine Haser Deep River	Mrs. Rose Jones Deep River	
Shelton, First	Frank J. Coleman 1941 510 Howe Street	Mrs. Thos. E. Lewis 1 Highland Ave.	Martha Strauch 29 Mary St.	Janice McLean White Hills, Shelton
Southington, First	Theodore Koester 1941 36 Oak Street	Freeman M. Judd Southington	Garfield Jones Southington	(None)
Wallingford, First	Edward M. Conway 1926 39 Curtis Ave.	S. Annie Norton 711 Center St.	Stewart Hall 62 Fair Street	(None)
Wallingford, Hungarian	Michael Biro 1937 139 South Cherry St.	Michael Chatary 96 Ward Street	Mrs. G. Fekete 44 South Main Street	Julius Toth 220 So. Colony St.

NEW HAVEN ASSOCIATION (Continued)

Church	Pastor and Date of Settlement	Clerk	Sunday School Superintendent	Young People's President
Waterbury, First	David P. Gaines 1920 13 First Ave.	William Page Wright 21 Earl Street	A. L. Purinton 157 Vernon Ave.	Roy Andrews First Baptist Church
Waterbury, Grace	Isaac W. Reed, D.D. 1901 55 Highland Ave.	W. Geo. Prince 209 N. Elm Street	Gertrude McKinney 130 Maple Street	Agnes Reynolds 130 Maple St.
Waterbury, Russian	John Daviduk 1920 127 Mather St., Hartf'd	G. Morez 34 Ward Street	K. Kalinovsky 34 Ward St.	B. Zubik 34 Ward St.
Waterbury, Second (Fed.)	M. Webb Wright 1941 368 Piedmont Street	Mrs. Harry Humiston 1127 Hamilton Ave.	Henry Payne 527 Piedmont St.	Marilyn Miller 122 Tracy Ave.
Waterbury, Swed. Tabernacle	Gotthard Hagstrom (Sup.) Norway Rd., No. Haven	Ernest E. Stafstrom R. D. 2, Terryville	Robert Swanson 69 Farmington Ave.	(None)
Waterbury, Zion	*B. W. Crowder 1928 21 East Hawkins St.	*Mrs. Robena Gary 55 Vine St.	*Robert Harrell 50 Hopkins Street	*Maybelle Ward 53 E. Hawkins
West Haven, First	Edwin T. Settle, Ph. D. 77 Smith St. 1930	Kenneth E. Strout 122 Elm St.	John McClusky 697 Campbell Ave.	Harold Finkle 68 Clark Street
Yalesville	Fred West (Supply) 64 Bassett St., New Haven	W. T. McKenzie Yalesville	J. Elliott May Yalesville	

Totals — Churches, 37; Pastors, 34

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NEW LONDON ASSOCIATION

Church	Pastor and Date of Settlement	Clerk	Sunday School Superintendent	Young People's President
Bozrah, First (Leffingwell)	Joseph A. Elder 1930 R. D. 2, Norwich	Alice Leffingwell R. D. 2, Norwich	John H. Rathbone R. D. 2, Norwich	(None)
Colchester, Borough	W. P. Grant (Supply) 16 Lilley Rd., West Hartford	Chas. T. Armstrong Colchester	(None)	(None)
Fitchville	George H. Strouse 1929 Yantic	Mrs. W. H. Thompson Fitchville	Albert Tolson Fitchville	(None)
Lake's Pond	U. S. G. Sension (Sup.) 160 Willetts St. New London, Conn.	Mrs. Mary C. Leland Waterford	Mrs. Mortimer D. Johnson R. D., Oakdale, Conn.	(None)
Lebanon		Mrs. Elsie K. Goodwin Chestnut Hill, Conn.	Mrs. Grace Kahn Lebanon	
Lyme, East (Flanders)	F. W. Tholen 1938 East Lyme	Mildred Loughheed East Lyme	Gordon Fraser East Lyme	Woodrow Scott R. D., Niantic, Conn.
Lyme, North	(Closed)	*W. M. Sisson North Plain, Conn.		
Montville, Union	Walter S. Oddy 1933 Montville	Mrs. F. Edmund Rogers Montville	Herbert W. Rogers Montville	John Pomazon Oakdale, Conn.
New London, First	Joseph J. Allen 1930 11 West Street	Inez A. Cox 306 Connecticut Ave.	Mrs. R. F. Pugsley 11 Morse Avenue Groton, Conn.	David Ferris 30 Fitch Ave.
New London, Hunt. St.	U. S. Grant Sension 1938 160 Willetts Ave. New London	Genevieve Lewis 238 Williams Street	J. Arthur Holt 235 Ledyard St.	Albert Fluellen c/o 160 Willetts Ave.

NEW LONDON ASSOCIATION (Continued)

Church	Pastor and Date of Settlement		Clerk	Sunday School Superintendent	Young People's President
New London, Mont'k Ave.	*Delwin H. Martin 371 Ocean Avenue	1940	*Ralph C. Green 257 Thames St. Groton	*Willis J. Snow 16 Friendship Street	*Norman Harvey 311 Ocean Avenue
New London, Shiloh	*Albert A. Garvin 9 Home Street	1936	*Bernice Sanchez 162 Bayonet Street	*Benj. H. Walker 10 Hope Street	*Luther Eccleston, Jr. 9 Home Street
Niantic	Robert Q. Jones 409 Prospect St. New Haven	1942 (Sup.)	Lesley M. Beckwith Niantic	Fred A. Beckwith Niantic	*Lois M. Beckwith Niantic
Norwich, Central	David A. Pitt, D.D. Central Church	1921	Wesley C. Sholes 99 Lafayette Street	Courtland G. Whitney 12 Bliss Place	Howard Jones 22 Court St.
Norwich, First	Percy A. Kilmister 288 West Main St.	1929	Mervin B. Leffingwell 122 Pine St.	Ellsworth Robinson 81 Peck Street	Janet Cowan W. Main Street
Norwich, Union	(None)		*Worth Howard 57 Reynold Street	*Arthur Lacy High Street	
Norwich, Third	John A. Swetnam 23 Lincoln Avenue	1935	Mrs. Geo. Durr (Ass't) 10 New London Tpke.	Henry R. Sebastian R. D. 1, Norwich	Donald Raven 64 Tenth Street
Waterford, First	P. D. Chamberlain Waterford	1942	Agnes E. Edwards Waterford	Mrs. Mary C. Leland Waterford	Florine Dimmock Waterford
Waterford, Second (Quaker Hill)	Homer F. Carr Quaker Hill	1941	Mrs. Raymond E. Perry Uncasville, Conn.	Theodore Pearson R. D. 2, Waterford	Clarence Collin Quaker Hill

Totals — Churches, 19; Pastors, 15

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STONINGTON UNION ASSOCIATION

Church	Pastor and Date of Settlement	Clerk	Sunday School Superintendent	Young People's President
Clarks Falls (Laurel Glen)	Edward E. Knapp 1933 25 West Broad St. Westerly, R. I.	Mrs. Edna V. Main Clarks Falls, Conn.	Noel Hill R. D., No. Stonington	(None)
Groton, 1st (Old Mystic)	D. E. Hill Box 58, Old Mystic	Frank E. Williams Old Mystic, Conn.	Frank E. Williams Old Mystic, Conn.	(None)
Groton Heights	George R. Atha 1906 Groton, Conn.	Irving H. Poppe Groton, Conn.	Alvah B. Cone Groton	Allan Harding Groton
Jewett City	F. Gordon Jaynes 1942 Jewett City	John E. Phillips Jewett City	Samuel P. Cathcart, Jr. Jewett City	(None)
Moosup	A. S. Woodworth 1938 Moosup	Doris I. Bishop Sterling, Conn.	Paul W. Roper Moosup	(None)
Mystic, Union	Louis J. Shepler 1926 9 Library Street	John H. Paton 1 Latham St.	Russell W. Potter Ocean View Hgts.	Alma W. Wilbur Edgecomb Street
Noank	Frank Alden Tobey 1934 Noank	Ivan L. Crossman Noank	Albert B. Patterson Noank	Errol B. Crossman Noank
No. Stonington, First	Everett P. Mathewson Box 188, Ashaway, R. I. 1910	George M. Cottrell Dunns Corners Westerly, R. I.	Clifford B. Thompson No. Stonington	(None)
No. Stonington, Second	Maxon Watrus (Sup.) R. F. D. #1, Mystic	Mrs. Arthur Babcock R.D. 2, Westerly, R. I.	William Platt R. D. 2, Westerly, R. I.	(None)
No. Stonington, Third	Byron U. Hatfield Mystic, Conn.	Mrs. Ruth T. Stone No. Stonington	Cressingham L. Gray North Stonington	(None)
Packerville	Mearle Bennett 1938 Packer, Conn.	Chas. E. Hopkins Plainfield, Conn.	Harold B. Hopkins Plainfield, Conn.	(None)
Poquonock Bridge	Inor Partington 1938 North Stonington	Richard Chapman R. D., Groton	Chas. S. Sawyer Poquonoc Bridge	Lloyd Sawyer Poquonoc Bridge
Preston City	George S. McNeill 1939 R. D. 1, Norwich	Harold P. Robbins R. D. 1, Norwich	Mrs. Mildred Dowdell R. D. 1, Norwich	Harold P. Robbins R.D.1, Norwich
Sterling Hill, First	Mearle Bennett 1938 Packer, Conn.	Edward E. Freeman R. D., Moosup	Evelyn Love R. D., Moosup, Conn.	(None)
Stonington, First	Eugene H. Bronson 1939 Stonington	Mrs. E. A. Potter Stonington	Walter G. Rittenhouse Stonington	James Rittenhouse Stonington
Voluntown	A. S. Woodworth (Sup.) Moosup, Conn.	Mary Allen Vincent Voluntown	June Kaufmann Voluntown	Esther Gravelin Voluntown

Totals — Churches, 16; Pastors, 14

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MINUTES OF THE ASSOCIATIONS

ASHFORD ASSOCIATION

1942

Moderator—Henry E. Hill, East Killingly
Vice Moderator—Dr. Horace B. Sloat
Clerk and Treasurer—Rev. Richard J. Hanson
Place of Meeting—Willimantic, First
Date of Meeting—September 24, 1942
Preacher—Rev. Arthur J. Dorr, Stafford

Committee on Missionary Cooperation: Mrs. A. D. Pierce, Chairman; Mrs. William Bowler, Rev. H. Douglas Pierce

Committee on Evangelism: Rev. Kenneth M. Cooper, Chairman; Rev. Arthur J Dorr, Mrs. Gertrude Carlson

Committee on Religious Education: Amasa D. Pierce, Mrs. Fred Flagg, Rev. C. D. Gray, Jr.

Committee on the World Emergency Fund: Rev. C. D. Gray, Jr., Amasa D. Pierce

FAIRFIELD ASSOCIATION

1942

Moderator—Rev. James N. Zeigler, South Norwalk
Vice-Moderator—Rev. Otto P. Churchill, Stepney
Clerk and Treasurer—Rev. A. King Boutwell, Rowayton
Place of Meeting—Rowayton
Date of Meeting—October 1, 1942
Historian—Mrs. Elbie A. Bucher
Program Committee—Rev. Kenneth L. Maxwell, Stratfield
Nominating Committee—Rev. W. W. Sullivan, Bridgeport
Resolutions Committee—Rev. F. W. Jacobs, Bridgeport
Extension Committee—Mr. S. Hatcher
Women's Work—Mrs. R. G. Stacy, Danbury
Men's Work—Mr. E. E. Hyde, Fairfield
Young People's—Rev. A. R. Hahn, Bridgeport
Christian Education—Mrs. E. L. Saxton, Norwalk

FAIRFIELD ASSOCIATION

The One Hundred and Third Annual Meeting of the Fairfield Baptist Association

The one hundred and third annual meeting of the Fairfield Baptist Association was convened at the Stepney Baptist Church at 10 o'clock on October 8, 1941, with the Rev. W. W. Sullivan, the moderator, presiding. The theme was "The Challenge of the World Emergency".

The Rev. William Lee Baxter conducted the opening devotions, after which the pastor of the entertaining church, Rev. Otto P. Churchill, welcomed the Association delegates.

The first order of business was the reading and approval of the treasurer's report. The minutes of the 102nd Annual Meeting were read and approved, and after which a digest of the annual church letters was presented. A missionary, now resident in this country, Mr. Curtis, was presented to the Association by Mr. Zeigler, after which the program was presented by him and ratified. The Resolutions were presented by the pastor of the Danbury Church, Rev. R. E. Stacy, and approved by the body. The report of the Nominations Committee was presented and the clerk authorized to cast one ballot, as above.

The welcome to the new minister, Mr. Baxter, was given by Rev. R. D. Trick. The Rev. J. M. Pryor presented the constitution article by article for approval, the time of the committee being extended by vote upon motion by the clerk. The morning session was closed by a sermon on "What the Church is Facing," by the Rev. A. R. Hahn.

After the luncheon intermission the women met with Mrs. Stacy and the men with Mr. Ziegler for general discussion groups.

The afternoon session was opened with the Rev. M. G. Hatcher, vice moderator, presiding. After a hymn and prayer led by Mr. Hatcher, Mr. Pryor presented the remainder of the articles of the constitution for approval, after which, upon motion by Rev. R. D. Trick, the whole constitution was adopted. The by-laws were then adopted upon motion by Dr. Fitch. The missionary address was given by Miss Margaret Crain. The Rev. O. P. Campbell spoke on "Meeting the Church Emergency Through the Church School Advance." Mr. Pryor led a panel on the world emergency fund, after which it was moved the moderator appoint a committee on the fund for the Association. The new state secretary, Rev. William Sale Terrell, was presented and gave a message on "Meeting the Emergency Through Evangelism". The closing worship was conducted by Rev. W. G. Backlund, after which the new moderator, Rev. James N. Zeigler, gave the benediction.

Respectfully submitted,

A. KING BOUTWELL.

HARTFORD ASSOCIATION

1941-1942

Moderator—Rev. G. E. Friedenberg

Vice Moderator—Rev. Marion C. Allen

Clerk—Rev. H. M. Hainer

Treasurer—A. E. Tyrrill, 7 Kellog St., Windsor, Conn.

Place of Next Meeting—Memorial, Hartford

Date of Next Meeting—October 2, 1942

Standing Committees

Missionary—1 year, Mrs. A. E. Tyrrill, Miss Ellen P. Hubbell; for two years, Mrs. H. M. Hainer, Mrs. James Tuller; for three years, Mrs. E. R. Hitchcock, Rev. H. E. Olcott.

Evangelism—1 year, Rev. J. N. Lackey, Rev. Herbert M. White; for two years, Mrs. G. E. Kimball, Rev. H. M. Foreman; for three years, Mrs. A. E. Sexton, G. T. Bachman.

Christian Education—1 year, Miss L. D. Spencer, Mrs. I. H. Benedict; for two years, Miss Eleanor Herse, Rev. Frederick Rapp; for three years, Miss Mary E. Balch, Mrs. Harold Stead.

Finance Committee—Treasurer, A. E. Tyrrill, Mr. Allen W. Brown, Mrs. W. B. Lawson.

Special Committees

Committee to cooperate with M. & M. Board—Rev. J. N. Lackey, D. D., H. Pierson Hammond, Philip H. Graham, Mrs. H. M. Hainer, Mrs. J. M. Black.

World Emergency Fund—Rev. E. Scott Farley, Rev. Marion C. Allen, Mrs. LeRoy Bennett.

Minutes of the Hartford Baptist Association

The one hundred fifty-second annual meeting of the Hartford Baptist Association was convened by the moderator, Rev. Frederick W. Rapp, at 10:45 A. M., September 26, 1941, in the Second Baptist Church at Suffield. After the singing of a hymn the moderator read the Scripture lesson and offered prayer. The rules of order were read by the clerk. Welcome to the church was extended by Rev. E. Scott Farley, D. D., the pastor, to which the moderator replied.

The following committees were then appointed by the moderator: Nominations, Rev. Ellis Gilbert, Mrs. Arthur Tyrrill, Rev. H. M. Foreman; Resolutions, Rev. J. C. Jackson, D. D., Mrs. H. M. Hainer, Rev. Marion C. Allen; Next Session, Rev. Major L. Johnson, Rev. G. E. Friedenberg, Rev. Harry Olcott; Roll, Rev. Jesse E. Smith.

A digest of church reports was given by the clerk. The treasurer presented his report which was accepted. The report of the Committee on Evangelism was also accepted. After a hymn Rev. J. N. Lackey, D. D., gave a tribute to the members who had died during the last year.

Rev. Ivan H. B.enedict spoke on Ministerial Standards. This was followed by a discussion and it was voted to request Mr. Benedict to bring in resolutions at the afternoon session. The morning session was closed with hymn and benediction.

The afternoon session was called to order by the moderator at 1:45 and a hymn was sung.

Mr. Benedict reported his resolutions. These were the same as those adopted by the State Permanent Council of the Connecticut Baptist Convention and printed on pages 93 and 94 of the Connecticut Baptist Annual for 1940 with two exceptions, first that item four of the first part under qualifications for ordination was omitted, and second, that the following be added as item six under procedure for ordination

> "That the license to preach be granted by the Permanent Council of the Association after the candidate has satisfied the council of his fitness for this authority."

After discussion the report was adopted.

The offering for the association was received.

The report of the Nomination Committee was accepted and the clerk instructed to cast the ballot which he did and the officers and committees were declared elected.

The committee on resolutions reported the following:

1. "Resolved that we extend a vote of thanks to the pastor, officers and members of the Second Church, Suffield, for their hospitality and courtesies in extending to us the facilities of this historic church in which to hold our 152 Association Meeting. The committee especially wishes to express thanks to the ladies for the courteous manner in which we have been served."
2. "Secondly. The Connecticut Temperance Foundation. It is alarming to what extent the liquor traffic is growing, blighting the lives of many of the youth of our country. Therefore, be it resolved that we reaffirm our attitude and devotion to the Connecticut Temperance Foundation and the W. C. T. U. in a united effort to detroy the onward march of this dreadful monster."
3. "Resolved that we deplore the destruction of human lives in the wars now raging. That we of the church assert ourselves in favor of universal peace and brotherhood for which our Savior prayed."
   It was voted that the report as a whole be adopted.

The committee on next session reported that the Memorial Church in Hartford had invited the association to meet there and recommended that the invitation be accepted. The recommendation was adopted.

Attention was called to the fact that according to the constitution the annual meeting of the association is to be held on the Friday following the last Tuesday of the month. This makes the date for the next session October 2nd, 1942.

The committee on nominations was asked to bring in the names for a committee to cooperate with the work of the M. & M. Board.

It was voted that the clerk take up the question of changes in the church report blanks with the State Secretary.

During the woman's hour Mrs. A. E. Sexton spoke on the Fifteen Objectives of the Woman's Missionary Society. After a devotional service, Mr. Smith introduced Rev. Merrick L. Streeter, who spoke on his work in Burma.

After a hymn there was a panel discussion on the Baptist School Advance led by Rev. O. P. Campbell assisted by Rev. Major Johnson, Rev. W. S. Terrell, Rev. H. M. Foreman and Miss L. D. Spencer.

Following a devotional service by Rev. Jesse Smith, Mr. Terrell introduced Rev. Paul H. Conrad, Eastern regional representative of the Council of Finance and Promotion of the Northern Baptist Convention, who spoke on "The World Emergency Fund".

Before the evening session pictures were shown by Mr. Campbell on the church school advance and on the summer assembly at Storrs.

The evening session was called to order by the moderator. The Committee on Roll reported that 82 had registered representing 17 churches.

The moderator appointed the following conveners of committees:

Missionary	Mrs. A. E. Tyrrill
Christian Education	Miss L. D. Spencer
Evangelism	Rev. H. M. Foreman

The Nomination Committee brought in its nominations for the special committee on the M. & M. Board. The committee was elected.

A special committee on World Emergency Fund was appointed.

A devotional service was conducted by the Young People's president, Edward Gifford, after which Mr. Terrell presented Rev. Paul H. Conrad, who gave an inspirational address.

The session closed with a hymn and benediction.

HERBERT M. HAINER, Clerk.

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Date of Next Year's Meeting: Sunday, October 4, 1942.

Place of Meeting: First Baptist Church, New Haven

Standing Committees

Religious Education—Dr. E. T. Settle, Chairman, West Haven; Rev. Theodore Koester, Miss E. G. MacKenzie, Southington; Rev. Harry W. Rogge, Essex; Dr. Frank M. Swaffield, Mrs. H. S. Palmer, New Haven; Mrs. R. W. Burgess, Meriden.

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Obituary—Rev. E. M. Conway, Wallingford.

Program—Pastor of Entertaining Church, Dr. John H. McLean; Moderator, Rev. A. E. Couch; Clerk, Rev. E. M. Conway.

Minutes of the New Haven Baptist Association 116th Annual Session, October 5, 1941.

Calvary Baptist Church, New Haven, Conn. Rev. F. W. Swaffield, D. D., Pastor.

The 116th annual meeting of the New Haven Baptist Association was called to order by the moderator, Rev. H. W. Rogge, at 2:30 P. M., October 5th, 1941, at the Calvary Baptist Church, New Haven, Conn.

The opening hymn was led by Rev. Valentine Wilson, and prayer was offered by Dr. Frank W. Swaffield, pastor of the entertaining church. Dr. Swaffield extended a brief welcome, which was responded to by the moderator, Mr. Rogge.

The Program Committee reported that the printed programs would be regarded as the order of the day, and it was so voted.

The report of the Trustees was made and accepted. (This and other reports are on file in the Secretary's office and may be referred to at any time.)

The Obituary Report was presented by the Clerk and the report was accepted.

Committee on Place and Preacher appointed, Rev. L. A. Duce, and Rev. L. A. Weaver.

Rev. Merrill G. Lenox, Associate Secretary for the M. & M. Board was presented and gave a very able address on the work of that worthy organization.

Miss Eleanore MacKenzie was recognized and presented the following suggestions:

"It is recommended that the New Haven Baptist Association enlarge its Committee of Education from three to seven members, to represent the following emphases of Christian Education:

1. Children's Work
2. Young People's Work
3. Adult Work
4. Student Counsellor
5. Missionary Education
6. Leadership Education
7. Vacation School and Week Day Religious Education

"It is further recommended that this Committee should include both clergy and laymen in its membership. The duty of this committee shall be to co-operate with the State and National offices in the promotion of the *whole* program of Christian Education in the local church."

"It is further suggested that for this year the moderator have the power of appointment."

The above suggestions were voted approved by the Association.

Mrs. Leslie Swain spoke at the Woman's Hour. Her address was very interesting and helpful. Mrs. Stewart presided.

Dr. Settle announced a brief meeting of the Ministers.

Offering received.

Hymn, "Publish Glad Tidings."

Rev. Paul H. Conrad, Eastern regional representative of the Council on Finance and Promotion, spoke on the "World Emergency Fund." His address was very helpful.

Dr. McLean also spoke on the "World Emergency Fund".

It was moved and seconded that the moderator appoint a World Emergency Fund committee and that each Church appoint a World Emergency Fund committee. Both motions were approved.

It was stated that each church should attempt to raise as its amount for the World Emergency Fund, one-third of the amount contributed to the Unified Budget.

After singing "The Church's One Foundation", the Rev. J. E. Parrella pronounced the Benediction and the session adjourned until the supper hour.

Supper was served at 6:15 by the Ladies of Calvary Baptist Church.

Mrs. Palmer spoke briefly on Women's Work, and Mr. Campbell, director of the Department of Christian Education, spoke on Baptist Youth Advance.

The evening session was called to order at 7:30. A hymn was sung followed by the evening prayer by Rev. Robert Weaver of Ansonia.

The Committee on Place and Preacher reported. The committee gave a choice of dates in its report and the association voted to hold its next meeting on Sunday, September 24th.

Rev. A. W. Jones suggested that the slogan for next meeting be "One Thousand Present".

The choir of the Immanuel Baptist Church, New Haven, sang two numbers which were very enjoyable.

The offering was received.

The Clerk was instructed to extend felicitations to the First Baptist Church, New Haven, on its coming anniversary.

Miss Mabel Lee, Ph.D., of the Chinese Christian Center, New York City, was presented and gave a very inspiring address.

The Committee on Nominations reported the following and they were elected unanimously: Rev. A. E. Couch, Moderator; Rev. L. A. Duce, Assistant Moderator; Rev. E. M. Conway, Clerk; Rev. Valentine H. Wilson, Assistant Clerk; Mr. E. G. Patterson, Hamden, Treasurer; Mr. C. S. Carter, Mr. W. J. Trevithick and Mr. L. P. Hutton, Trustees.

Mr. Couch, the moderator-elect, was introduced and spoke briefly.

Rev. Wm. Sale Terrell, Executive Secretary of the State Convention, was present but did not deliver his scheduled address owing to the lateness of the hour.

On behalf of the Association the Moderator expressed the thanks of those attending for all the many thoughtful kindnesses extended during the session.

The meeting then adjourned to meet Sunday, September 24, 1942. The audience sang "Faith of Our Fathers", after which the benediction was pronounced by the Rev. A. E. Couch.

EDWARD M. CONWAY, Clerk,
New Haven Baptist Association,
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NEW LONDON ASSOCIATION

1942

Moderator: Fred W. Tholen, Flanders

Vice Moderator: Homer F. Carr, Quaker Hill

Clerk-Treasurer: Percy A. Kilmister, Norwich

Place of Next Meeting: Montville Union Church, Montville

Time: September 22, 1942

Committees

Program—Walter S. Oddy, Montville; Percy A. Kilmister, Norwich; Fred Tholen, Flanders.

Resolutions: John A. Swetnam, Norwich; U. S. Grant Sension, New London; Walter S. Oddy, Montville.

Nominating—David A. Pitt, Norwich; George H. Strouse, Fitchville; Mrs. Stewart S. Clark, New London.

Social Service—Richard W. Mansfield, New London; Mrs. David A. Pitt, Norwich; Mr. John Karmerica, New London.

Obituaries—Joseph A. Elder, Leffingwell; Andrew Littlefield, Lebanon; Delwin Martin, New London.

Enrollment—Homer F. Carr, Quaker Hill; Earle W. Darrow, Waterford; Percy A. Kilmister, Norwich.

Preacher of Annual Sermon—Rev. George H. Strouse, Fitchville.

Minutes of New London Baptist Association

With 125 registered delegates and forty visitors the 124th annual meeting of the New London Baptist Association was held with the Flanders Baptist Church on Tuesday, September 23rd, 1941. The Rev. J. J. Allen, pastor of the First Baptist Church of New London, presided as moderator, and called the meeting to order for the morning session at 10:00 o'clock. The devotional period was conducted by Rev. Homer F. Carr of Quaker Hill.

A warm word of welcome was extended to the delegates by the pastor of the entertaining church, Rev. Fred W. Tholen, and Mr. Allen, as moderator, graciously responded to Mr. Tholen's address of welcome. The annual sermon was preached by Rev. U. S. Grant Sension, pastor of the Huntington Street Church, on the theme: "Living According to the Gospel." The church letters were read by the clerk, assisted by Rev. Walter Oddy. Then came the reading of the rules of order and the reports of the officers with appointment of committees.

The report of the trustees showed that the association had made favorable progress throughout the year and that there had been considerable gain made in financial affairs. The Rev. David A. Pitt, D. D., of the Central Baptist church, spoke on the Ministry of the M. and M. Board. The hymn singing was under the direction of Rev. Delwin Martin of the Montauk Avenue Baptist Church, New London. At noon the ladies of the church served an appetizing dinner.

Afternoon Session

For the afternoon session the opening devotions were led by Rev. Earle A. Darrow of Waterford, First Baptist Church. Mrs. Rosco Perry rendered a vocal solo. Mrs. Andrew Littlefield was unable to be present on account of the illness of

her husband and her place was ably filled by Miss Florence Douglass, vice president of the Woman's Missionary Association. At the Woman's Missionary Hour, Miss Douglass introduced as the speaker Rev. Merrick L. Streeter, who gave a dramatic message on the topic: "The Burma Road—A Challenge to American Baptists."

A highlight of the afternoon session was the message of Rev. Paul Conrad, promotional director. Following his talk our new secretary, Rev. Wm. Sale Terrell, was presented and given a royal welcome. Mr. Terrell spoke on the theme: "The Present Emergency." Committees then made their reports, resolutions and obituaries were read and routine business completed.

Moderator J. J. Allen introduced his successor, Rev. F. W. Tholen, who pronounced the benediction.

The ladies of the church entertained for supper those remaining for the evening session, which was under the auspices of the New London County Baptist Young People's forum, John M. Karmercia, president.

Evening Session

The evening session drew a full church and was an inspiring occasion. Rev. Oscar Campbell, our educational director, gave a most helpful address on Christian Education Through the Churches. He showed colored motion pictures of the Storrs Assembly which were greatly enjoyed by the young folk. Mrs. Francis B. Maxon rendered a fine solo. Dr. Hilda Ives of Andover-Newton was then introduced and gave a most inspiring address on "Youth and the Church".

During the day the clerk was instructed to send a word of sympathy to Rev. Andrew Littlefield, who had been seriously ill. And a basket of fruit was sent by the Association to Mrs. Tholen, wife of the pastor of the entertaining church, who was sick.

STONINGTON UNION ASSOCIATION

1942

Moderator—Rev. George S. McNeill, Preston City

Vice-Moderator—Mrs. Eugene H. Bronson, Stonington

Treasurer—Irving H. Poppe, Groton

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Auditor—Frank E. Williams, Old Mystic

Place of Next Meeting—Preston City

Date of Next Meeting—June 1942

Preacher—Rev. R. D. Chamberlain, Waterford

Alternate—Rev. Inor Partington, Poquonock Bridge

Trustees Widows' Fund—Edward E. Freeman, Frank E. Williams, George W. Brown

169th Annual Meeting, Stonington Union Association

The Association was called to order by the moderator, Dr. E. P. Fitch, at 10:00 A. M., at the Third Baptist Church, North Stonington, Wednesday, June 11th, 1941.

The opening devotional service was conducted by Rev. Inor Partington of Poquonock Bridge, who read from the first chapter of Galatians and offered prayer.

The address of welcome was given by Rev. B. U. Hatfield, pastor of the entertaining church. Response was made by the moderator.

The church letters were read by the clerk, Edwin M. Gray, assisted by Rev. George R. Atha.

Report of the Widows' Fund was read by Frank E. Williams.

The hymn, "Hail to the Brightness of Zions Glad Morning," was sung.

The Scripture and prayer were by Rev. Louis J. Shepler.

The annual sermon was preached by Rev. A. S. Woodworth of Moosup, Conn., subject, "The Message of the Early to the Modern Church."

The offering was taken by Rev. P. D. Chamberlain and Rev. George S. McNeill.

The offertory solo, "O Lord Most Holy," was sung by Miss Gladys Daniels.

The following committees were appointed.

NOMINATING

Rev. Louis J. Shepler, Rev. Inor Partington, Mrs. E. H. Bronson, Mrs. Ruth T. Stone, Mrs. A. M. Brown.

RESOLUTIONS

Rev. A. S. Woodworth, Mrs. Isabel Main, Mrs. Eugene H. Bronson.

Rev. George L. White, field secretary of the M. & M. Benefit Board, gave a message from that board.

Rev. Ellis Gilbert, pastor of First Baptist Church, West Hartford, spoke on the subject, "We Advance with Our Young People."

After prayer by Rev. E. E. Gates, D. D., the session adjourned.

The ladies of the church served dinner.

The afternoon session convened at 1:45 P. M.

Rev. E. P. Mathewson led the devotional service and read from Psalms 20 and offered prayer.

A missionary address was given by Miss Gertrude Ryster, recently returned from Japan, subject, "Our Christian Brothers and Sisters in Japan."

The report of the Nominating Committee was given and the officers were elected.

The report of the Resolutions Committee was given by Miss Gertrude L. Brown.

The report of the treasurer by Irving H. Poppe.

The report of the auditor by Frank E. Williams.

There was special music by the choir of the Third Baptist Church of North Stonington.

After an address by Rev. George L. White and the closing hymn.

The benediction was by Rev. Byron U. Hatfield.

EDWIN M. GRAY, Clerk.

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